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Candidates look toward November

By LISA BICKNELL
CV&T News Editor

With the primary election behind them, victorious candidates are setting their sights on fall races. Some of last week's winners are running unopposed, while others expect a close contest. The Circuit Judge race for the 23rd Judicial Circuit promises to be one of the most competitive.

While Heather Combs gathered the most votes in Estill County, Michael Dean was the top vote-getter in the district, carrying both Lee and Owsley Counties. Because the race is non-partisan, however, the top two candidates, Combs and Dean, will run against each other in the fall. In local races, Republican incumbent Judge-Executive Wallace Taylor will face Jim Thacker, who ran unopposed as the Democratic candidate.

For Constable in Magistrate District 1, Republican incumbent Danny Conrad will run against Democratic candidate Ricky L. Williams. Gerry Flannery is running unopposed for Magistrate District 2, and Melvin Fields, Republican, will face Democratic incumbent Darrell Johnson for Magistrate District 3. Incumbent Gary Freeman is the Democratic candidate for sheriff, and he will run against Republican Ken White in the

fall. Floyd Edmonson, also an incumbent, won the Democratic nomination for Constable in Magistrate District 3. He will face Republican candidate Charles Spicer, Jr. in the fall. Republican incumbent Beverly "Bo" Morris won his party's nomination and will be sqaring off against Larry Stewart for jailer. Estill Countians voted on other area nominations for office.

Elizabeth Jensen won the Democratic nomination for U.S. Representative in the Sixth Congressional District. She will face Republican incumbent Andy Barr in the fall. Cluster Howard won the Democratic nomination for State Representative in the 91st Representative District. He will face Republican incumbent Gary "Toby" Herald in November.



"Land of the free, because of the brave"



By LISA BICKNELL
CV&T News Editor

As the American flag waved at half staff beneath a clear blue sky on Monday morning, a crowd gathered for remembrances at Veteran's Memorial Park in Ravenna. A coal-filled train idled by in the background and children played on a nearby playground while traffic

hummed on Ravenna's picturesque Main Street. Speakers reminded those attending the memorial that the freedom to assemble peacefully comes with a cost. Marvin Neal, before offering the opening prayer, said, "We have come to remember those who made that ultimate sacrifice." He asked God to wrap his arms around those grieving the loss of their loved ones.

Beverly Thompson, former mayor of Ravenna, said too many are barbecuing and picnicking instead of remembering. She commended local veteran's groups such as the American Legion and the Veteran's of Foreign Wars for keeping the memories of deceased service men and women alive. She thanked them and the Boys Scouts for placing a flag on every veteran's grave in the

county. "If you don't do any other thing today, shake a veteran's hand," Thompson urged those attending the memorial. "While you may be sleeping, they are protecting," she said. Estill County Judge-Executive Wallace Taylor said, "It makes me proud to look around, to see the veterans and their families here." The American Legion Honor Guard offered up a twenty-

one gun salute, and a bugler played "Taps." Before Neal lead the concluding prayer, he said he often thinks of the men and women who served the country who are unaccounted for—those labeled missing in action, and prisoners of war. As the names of local servicemen and women who died within the past year were read, a bell tolled for each of them.

Intoxicated man takes on local officers, state trooper

By LISA BICKNELL
CV&T News Editor

An Irvine man now faces several charges after throwing punches at local police officers and a state trooper last Wednesday. Daniel Bowling, of 40 V. C. Witt Road, was arrested at his home after police received a

call that he had assaulted his father. Sheriff's deputy Josh Rison reported that when he arrived at Bowling's address, Bowling was attempting to run from the scene. When Rison told Bowling to stop, Bowling began to fight with him instead, and he took off again. After the Irvine Police Department and State Trooper Zach Robinson

were called in for back-up, Robinson found Bowling hiding in some debris off V.C. Witt Road. When Robinson asked him to stand up, Bowling extended his hand for help but pulled Robinson to the ground and attempted to hold him. Bowling continued to resist as officers tried to get him into the deputy's car, and he head-butted Trooper Robinson.

Robinson's report said Bowling smelled strongly of alcohol and was very unsteady on his feet. The deputy's report also said Bowling punched and kicked IPD Officer John Sturniolo while he was attempting to take him into custody. According to police reports from the sheriff's office and the KSP, Bowling threatened to kill Rison, Robinson and

Sturniolo as he was being transported. Bowling was taken to jail and charged with assault, fourth degree (domestic violence), resulting in minor injury; fleeing or evading police, first degree; assault (second degree) of a police or probation officer; alcohol intoxication, menacing, resisting arrest, and terroristic threatening.

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Engineer baseball and softball teams advance in Regional competition this week

Lady ‘Neers skunk Letcher County, both teams seeking 3-peats

By Lee Freeman
CV&T Sports Writer

The Lady Engineers are driving hard for the title of 2014 14th Region Fast Pitch Softball Champions, which would make it a “3-peat” for the Lady ‘Neers. Coach Beard and her staff continue to deliver nothing but the best with their Lady Engineers as 56th District Champions 10 years running, when they beat Powell County 8-3 on Thursday, May 22nd at J.L. Thomas Field. Estill County took the W in both of the regular season meetings against Powell County, 3-1 at home and 10-0 at Powell. District champions for ten years straight, the Lady Engineers received a full escort accompanied with lights and sirens for their victory lap through town.

‘Neers baseball rolls over Perry Central, advances in tourney

By Lee Freeman
CV&T Sports Writer

The Estill County Engineers did not fail to deliver a perfect record season in district this year. The juniors and seniors walked off the field on Wednesday, May 21, able to say they were a part of a “3-peat” District Championship run when they beat Powell County 4-2 at home.

#33 Jacob Tuttle had an outstanding performance on the mound. There was murmuring in the stands that he was showing signs of fatigue in the 6th inning, but with a

total of 8 strike outs Tuttle got the W.

#8 Ryan Freeman, who demonstrated excellent glove throughout the game, earned an RBI in the fourth. Scoring after Powell County walked him, #4 Trent Sparks kept his cool in the “hot corner.”

#1 Cody Portwood had a huge hit for the Engineers in the bottom of the 5th, finding a hole and bringing the score up to 3-0. After two consecutive walks his first two at bats, #34 Brandon McKinney got his first base hit in the bottom of the 6th.

#12 Kordel Day running for McKinney was able to steal second when the POCO pitcher threw way high to #30 Wade French as they

had all game.

#3 Christian Noland’s first base hit drove in another run for the Engineers when Day crossed the plate for the second time in the game.

Powell County started the 7th inning off with their 7-8-9 batters up, and that’s about all she wrote with a ground ball up the middle to #7Andrew Farmer tagging second, then a quick throw to third for a sweet double play making the Estill County Engineers the 56th District Champions for the third straight year.

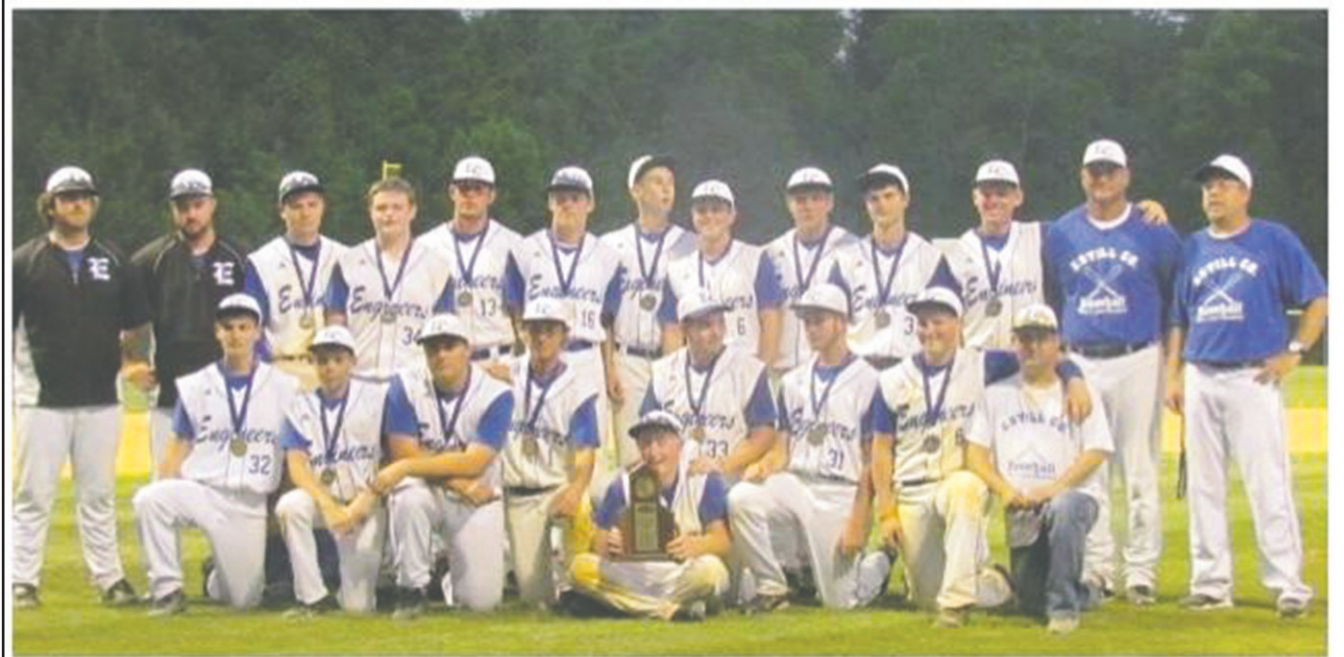
The team enjoyed a quick victory lap through town after their win, before Coach Gene Combs had his team focusing on their

game Monday, May 26th against Perry County Central.

Coach Combs’s inaugural season was not about to be over with one game, so the Engineers made a train wreck out of Perry County Central with a 12-1 victory in 5 innings.

Here’s to the Estill County Engineers Baseball team--may they keep that train rolling at 8 p.m. on May 27, at Buckhorn against Knott County Central.

Estill County (23-10) averages 8.5 runs per game while allowing only 3.9 runs and Knott County Central (23-7) averages 7.3 runs per game while allowing 4.1 runs.



Kentucky residents have chance to win an iPad in KHEAA drawing

Kentucky residents have another chance to win a new iPad from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) in a sweepstakes being held through Facebook in May. The contest runs from 12 a.m. on May 1 through 12 a.m. on June 1.

To enter, a Kentuckian must click on the orange graduate icon on the KHEAA Facebook page, answer one question about college, and “like” KHEAA on Facebook. KHEAA will not share or sell any personal information to a third party.

Only Kentucky residents are eligible. Prior winners are not eligible. Employees of KHEAA or its sister agency, the Kentucky

Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC), and their immediate family members are not eligible.

The drawing will be held in early June, and the winner will be notified by email. The winner must respond by email within three calendar days to receive the iPad. If no response is received within three days, another winner will be drawn.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

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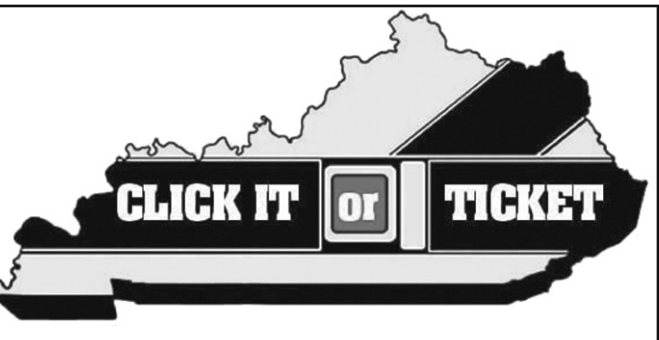
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Above, the American Legion Riders gathered at Veteran’s Memorial Park in Ravenna to honor those who died in service to the country. Below, center of page, George McIntosh and Louis Officer, salute the American flag.



Click it or Ticket campaign continues

By County Attorney Rodney Davis

For anyone who complains about getting a ticket for not buckling up when driving or riding in a motor vehicle, here’s a crash course in reality:

- In 2013, 638 people were killed on Kentucky’s roadways.
- Of those 638 killed, 483 were motor vehicle fatalities.
- Of those 483 motor vehicle fatalities, 57.5 percent were not wearing a seat belt.

While those may sound like just statistics, those of us at the Estill County Attorney’s Office know from personal experience that those numbers are the actual faces of mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters, aunts, uncles and friends right here in Kentucky. We notify too many families about losses that may have been prevented had a loved one only worn a seat belt.

This goes to the heart of our mission to protect the public. That is why we have joined with thousands of state and local law enforcement and other highway safety agencies nationwide to support the 2014 national Click It or Ticket seat belt enforcement mobilization running May 19 – June 1.

The good news is Kentucky’s seat belt usage rate increased with the passage of the primary law from 67.2 percent in 2006 to 85 percent in 2013. However, that is still below the national usage rate of 87 percent.

Seat belts save lives, but must be used to do so. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), when worn correctly, seat belts are proven to reduce the risk of fatal injury to front-seat occupants by 45 percent and by 60 percent in pickup trucks, SUVs and minivans.

People often ask, “Aren’t there more serious criminals on the street other than those who simply are not buckling up? They’re not hurting anyone but themselves.”

To the contrary, the people who choose to disobey the law by not wearing their seat belts are taking a chance with not only their lives, but the

emotional and financial health of their families, friends and our community.

Death may be the ultimate consequence for not wearing a seat belt, but even for those who escape a fatal crash, the economic costs of injuries caused by motor vehicle crashes are staggering. NHTSA estimates that every year motor vehicle crashes cost our country more than \$230.6 billion. That equals more than \$800 per person, per year!

Yes, this is a national problem, but law enforcement and first responders see the local faces at too many crash scenes. So, it begins right here in Kentucky. We want to ensure that everyone arrives at their destinations safe and sound, so we are letting you know now: If you are not wearing your seat belt, you will be ticketed. We will show no leniency. Our officers are also trained to spot seat belt violations at night, so no matter what time of day, they will catch you.

Buckling up costs you nothing, but the costs of NOT buckling up may be a ticket, or worse — your life. Treat this as a tough and potentially life-saving reminder: Click It or Ticket!



M55 Rocket Separation Operation Concludes

The Blue Grass Chemical Activity (BGCA) separated the last M55 rocket motor as part of the M55 Rocket Motor Separation Operation May 13, 2014.

The operation, which began on March 26, 2014, was completed safely and without incident and was in support of propellant analyses which will validate the rocket propellant stability as well as determine best practices for the continued safe storage and future demilitarization operations.

BGCA separated a total of 42 M55 rocket motors from their warheads. The warhead, which contains the chemical agent, was overpacked into a single round container and placed into a storage igloo until future demilitarization by the Blue Grass Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant.

The U.S. Army Armament Research, Development and Engineering Center (ARDEC) in Picatinny N.J. will be shipped 23 rocket motors, which contain propellant, for compositional analyses and sensitivity testing. Upon completion of propellant analyses and testing by ARDEC, the rocket motors will be destroyed on-site. Each rocket motor has been certified free of chemical agent.

The remaining 19 rocket motors were placed into storage for future testing by the Program Executive Office, Assembled Chemical Weapons Alternatives.

Madison County and the Commonwealth of Kentucky Emergency Management Agencies, as well as the Kentucky Department for Environmental Protection, were kept informed during all aspects of the M55 Rocket Separation Operation.

BGCA ensured the operation was completed in a safe, efficient and environmentally respectful manner.

Estill County High School student Mary Mansfield named 2014 Rogers Scholar

Estill County High School student Mary Mansfield has been selected by The Center for Rural Development to represent Estill County as a 2014 Rogers Scholar.

Mary, 15, a sophomore, will join 60 high school students from Southern and Eastern Kentucky this summer for the Rogers Scholars program on the campus of Lindsey Wilson College.

Rogers Scholars, the flagship youth program of The Center, is an intensive one-week summer program that provides leadership and exclusive college scholarship opportunities for students to build their skills as the region’s next generation of leaders and entrepreneurs.

“My family is from Estill County,” Mary said. “I have lived here all of my life, and my life goal is to be a community leader in healthcare.”

Mary is the daughter of Candy and Clay Mansfield of Irvine.

The Rogers Scholars program was created by U.S. Congressman Hal Rogers so that “no young person should have to leave home to find his or her future.”

“The program emphasizes the development of skills in fields like science, technology and healthcare, and instills in participants a sense of leadership, an entrepreneurial spirit, and a commitment to rural Kentucky,” said Delaney Stephens, youth programs coordinator and community liaison for The Center. “We are proud to announce the 2014

Class of Rogers Scholars and look forward to working with each of these participants this summer at the 17th annual Rogers Scholars program.”

This year’s dates for the Rogers Scholars program are June 22-27 and July 6-11. Seventeen colleges and universities partner with The Center to offer exclusive college scholarship opportunities to Rogers Scholars graduates who successfully complete all of the program requirements.

For more information about Rogers Scholars, contact The Center at 606-677-6000, email youth@centertech.com or visit www.centeryouthprograms.com.

Established in 1996 through the vision of U.S. Congressman Harold “Hal” Rogers, (KY-05), and other leaders, The Center for Rural Development is a nonprofit organization fueled by a mission to provide leadership that stimulates innovative and sustainable economic development solutions and a better way of life in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. In its 45-county primary service region, The Center provides innovative programs in leadership, public safety, technology, and arts and culture. The Center is committed to constantly expanding its capabilities in order to deliver a range of key services throughout Kentucky and the nation.

Thank You

I would like to thank the people of District #2 for their vote and support. Thanks to Earl Young and Charlie Fauste for running a clean race. I will work to help move our county forward.

Thank you,
Gerry Flannery



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VIEWPOINTS

VA Crisis: Those entrusted to care for our heroes need to be held accountable

By Mitch McConnell
U. S. Senator

This Memorial Day is an appropriate time to remember that our nation makes a pact with every soldier, sailor, airman, and Marine who wears the uniform. The pact runs in two directions: just as the servicemember pledges his or her life to defend our country and our freedoms, our nation is obliged to see that each servicemember is well equipped, well trained, and treated with respect.

This respect includes all the healthcare benefits that were promised to veterans that receive care through the Department of Veterans Affairs' (VA) Health Administration Center. Americans are rightly proud of this basic promise.

That's why I am utterly appalled at the recent allegations of dysfunction in the VA health system. While I have been raising concerns with the VA for years on behalf of our veterans, horrifying news stories have emerged in recent weeks about administrators at a VA hospital in Phoenix, Arizona, falsifying medical records to conceal unacceptable delays in providing care to our

nation's veterans.

Reports indicate these delays may have led to the deaths of some veterans who did not receive proper care in the time they should have. According to news reports, dozens of veterans died while waiting for care, and hundreds more were not properly registered in the system so that the hospital could misleadingly claim veterans had shorter waiting times.

Since these first initial stories in Phoenix, similar reports have emerged in six other states from North Carolina to New Mexico. The mounting allegations of corruption, cover-ups, and delayed care resulting in deaths that could have been avoided are frightening. Secretary of Veterans Affairs Eric Shinseki has ordered a review of the problems in Phoenix-but he has yet to acknowledge the obvious fact that the VA is facing a systemic crisis.

This crisis comes on top of the unprecedented backlog of pending VA claims cases in the system, with many veterans waiting months or even years just to hear back from the VA on the status of their claims. Such a backlog is a national disgrace, which is why I called the Obama Administration to task

for mishandling these claims last year, and have raised the issue with Secretary Shinseki for years.

A VA crisis of this magnitude demands clear leadership from President Obama. Unfortunately, so far I have yet to hear from the president that he is treating the VA crisis with the seriousness it deserves.

When the website for Obamacare wasn't working, President Obama publicly and repeatedly pledged to get it working. I'm disappointed he has not pledged as loudly and as repeatedly to do the right thing for our nation's veterans. They deserve more attention than a failed website.

One step he could take would be to embrace legislation I am sponsoring in the U.S. Senate with U.S. Senator Marco Rubio that would make high-ranking officials in the VA more accountable for what happens under their watch. This legislation, the Department of Veterans Affairs Management Accountability Act, would make it easier to remove high-level VA employees for performance failures.

No one's job should be immune when there is proof of delay, dysfunction, and corruption-least of all those charged with providing

health care services for our nation's veterans. This bill is a common-sense step towards a solution to the problem that is supported by legislators from both parties. Simply put, those entrusted to care for our heroes need to be held accountable.

As we continue to find out more about the problems at the VA, I am sure members of Congress, both Republican and Democrat, will put forward other good ideas to see to it that this wrongdoing does not happen again. I hope the president will join us. And I hope he will join me in denouncing this disgraceful behavior in his administration.

Any misconduct found at VA hospitals should be met with swift punishment. And any administration officials responsible need to be held fully accountable. America's ill and wounded veterans have already given so much to this country, and paid a price for doing so. They have the right to expect that their government will answer them when they ask for help. Because, as a colleague of mine noted, they stood first in line when the call came to serve-so now the VA should treat every veteran as if they are first in line for the quality health care they were promised and have earned.

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Cheatin' in school ain't what it used to be

By Jim Waters
Guest Columnist

Angelina Jolie once said about then-husband Billy Bob Thornton that if she ever caught him cheating, "I wouldn't kill him because I love his children and they need a dad. But I would beat him up. I know where all of hissports injuries are."

Based on the cheating epidemic that's enveloped our society, we know where the stakes appear highest: sports, politics and education.

During Tuesday's primary voting, the Kentucky Attorney General's Office reported receiving more than 200 calls that included claims of election fraud and vote buying.

Even though buying votes is a serious crime that landed perpetrators in jail in some high-profile cases in recent years, the stakes are high enough that some consider it worth the risk.

Too many Kentuckians accept cheating as just another staple of Kentucky politics, which undoubtedly allows more election-fraud offenses to go unpunished. What's needed is a better understanding and stronger conviction that such duplicity weakens the political process.

Asterisks also appear much-

more often these days next to record-breakers in the wide world of sports where some athletes risk their health and even their lives by downing steroids just to get into the books.

Still, the asterisk remains in any true major league baseball fan's mind when comparing the home-run records accomplishments of Hank Aaron versus Mark McGwire. Aaron did it *au naturel; *McGwire not so much.

Players and fans with integrity understand the sentiment of ancient Greek playwright Sophocles: "I would prefer even to fail with honor than win by cheating."

Politicians, athletes, educators and students still in possession of their consciences feel a real emptiness at winning by cheating. Cheaters,however, seem good at pushing the conviction those consciences offer to the side.

Nowhere is such dishonesty more alarming than in public education.

We're not talking here about the kind of cheating limited to a lazy high-schooler penning the history quiz answers on his palm or talking his girlfriend into writing a paper for him. Now, the story is more likely to be about administrators helping students cheat at premier magnet schools.

Louisville's WDRB-TV recently reported on a Kentucky Department of Education investigation into allegations by Louisville Male High School students that school officials cheated on the ACT COMPASS tests and thentold students to hide the truth from investigators.

The COMPASS tests offer college-bound students a second chance to avoidremedial courses in basic academic areas at state colleges or universities,which they must pay for but receive no credit for taking.

Students who perform well on the COMPASS test are deemed sufficiently prepared for college while their schools get an inflated boost in their college- and career-ready performance. The higher the scores, the better the school looks.

Neither is cheating limited to high-performing schools.

A two-year investigation, which included the first-ever forensic testing into investigations of unsavory activity surrounding student testing, found rampant cheating in Perry County Schools, which states its vision: "to produce citizens who are successful, involved, responsible and informed members of society who enrich

the communities in which they live."

Yet even in the midst of this cheating scandal that resulted in the suspension of several educators' certificates, the Kentucky School Boards Association named then-Supt. John Paul Amis its 2012 Superintendent of the Year. This despite the fact that Amis' district included a high school on the list of persistently failing schools and an ACT Composite Score of 17.3 that was worse than all except 15 other districts.

I'm not sure which is worse: Graduates who find themselves totally unprepared for college-level work, or adults cheating on a testing program that exists to adequately insure that kids are ready for college and then patting themselves on the back afterwards.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

The people of Estill County clearly suffer from Electile Dysfunction. Symptoms include low voter interest, inability to replace incumbents with fresh minds, and not being able to look ahead to any meaningful progress. Electile Dysfunction sufferers tend to favor candidates that have a track record of scratching people's backs. Sufferers often lack real interest in the advancement of anyone other than themselves. Sufferers more often than not are forced into voting for new names when those they vote for with zombie-like precision either choose to not run again or they simply die. The only prescription for Electile Dysfunction is term limits. Elected officials, like diapers, need changed periodically for the same reason. It is simply horrendous the stagnation that takes place politically in this county due to Electile Dysfunction.

Virgil Edwards

IrvineiteForLiberty.

Dear Estill County Residents,

You have again opened your cupboards and hearts to help those in need through the Post Office Food Drive. Thanks to you the Estill County Community Food Bank received six (6) grocery carts of food to distribute to your family, friends and neighbors. We appreciate each and every gift. Thank you again for your generosity. Our special thanks to the Post Office Personnel who made it possible. Thank You!!

Susan N. Dick

President, Estill County Community Food Bank

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Rodney G. Davis: The more you know....



Have you ever wondered what happens to all of the courts costs and fines that are paid in district Court? If you ask most people they will tell you that the county gets all that money to spend as the fiscal court pleases. INCORRECT! The vast majority of court costs and fines go to the state treasury and very little of the money goes to local agencies. It is difficult to follow the flow of the fines from the local court collection point to the state, where it is distributed to the various agencies; however, I will attempt to explain how it

all works in this article. Initially, it is important to know a few facts about court costs and fines. Let's look at the breakdown for a typical traffic citation. If convicted, the Defendant is expected to pay \$130 in court costs, which all goes to the Administrative Office of the Courts to be distributed to various agencies. Additionally, there is a \$10 court facility fee that is paid to the Administrative Office of the Courts, a \$50 fee that goes to the Department of Public Advocacy (only if a public defender is appointed to the case), a \$25 bond fee that goes to the Administrative Office of the Courts if a bond is posted; a 50 cent fee to the local county law library fund and \$2.50 attorney tax fee paid to the local county law library. Finally, the agency issuing the warrant or the citation will receive a fee: \$10 for Irvine and Ravenna Police Department and \$20 for the Estill County Sheriff's Office.

Therefore, for a serious traffic offense, such as driving on a suspended license due to a DUI, the Defendant could be paying in excess of \$200 just in court costs. You can add another \$375 in services fees if a Defendant is convicted or pleads guilty to a DUI, all of which goes to the Administrative Office of the Court. Of the money collected from the \$130 basic court costs, 80 percent is distributed as follows pursuant to KRS 42.320: 49 percent to the State's general fund, 10.80 percent to the Kentucky Local Facilities Construction Authority, 6.50 percent SCHIR (Spinal cord and head injury) fund, 5.5 percent to the Traumatic Brain Injury Fund, 5 percent to the AOC-DCE fee, a 3.5 percent public advocacy fee, 3.4 percent to the crime victim's fund, .7 percent to the Justice Cabinet for the Brady Bill, 10.1 percent to the County Sheriffs' Departments and 5.5

percent to the County Fiscal Court. Additionally, \$20 of the \$130 is distributed as follows: 50 percent to the local government with certified police offices, 30 percent to the local government police department and 20 percent to the local fiscal court for costs related to the transportation of prisoners. Finally, \$5 is allocated to the Cabinet for Health Service for the telephonic behavioral health jail triage system. Sound confusing? Could you imagine being the one trying to keep track of it all! Just how much money are we really talking about here? From July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013 the Circuit Court Clerk in Estill County collected a total of \$66,640.65 in criminal/traffic costs and \$25,125.13 in criminal/traffic fines. (NOTE: This is amount collected, not the amount imposed or levied). Additionally, the Clerk collected the following amounts in courts costs:

\$8,893 in D.U.I. Service Fees, \$17,081.30 in court facilities fees, \$5,487.85 in bond filing fees, \$9,837.50 in access to justice fees and \$4,625.00 in public advocacy fees. Of these amounts collected, the funds are transferred to the Administrative Office of the Court for distribution to the various state agencies as discussed above. In addition to the criminal court costs and fines, there are also filing fees for most civil cases such as probates, small claims, guardianships and general civil litigation. For instance, in a probate case the filing fees breakdown as follows: a \$20 for civil filing fee, \$10 for a court facility fee, \$10 for an access to justice fee, \$10 court technology fee, a \$25 bond filing fee, a \$7.50 new paper advertising fee, a \$2.50 attorney tax fee and a 50 cent county law library fee. Of these fees, all, except the attorney tax fee and the county law library fee, are paid to the Administrative

Office of the Courts. As you see, significant amounts of money are spent on court costs and fines in District Court. However, of these amounts paid, only a very small portion of the monies are actually paid to the fiscal courts or other local agencies for their use. It should be noted that some of the money is indirectly returned to the fiscal court by the Administrative Office of the Court through lease payments made to the fiscal court on the space occupied by the Administrative Office of the Court in the Estill County Courthouse. However, the vast majority of courts costs and fines are paid to the Administrative Office of the Courts for its use. I hope you have found these comments interesting. If you have an idea for an article please do not hesitate to let me know, and we will be happy to research the idea and see if we can create an interesting article.

TIMES PAST

1944 - The Irvine Times

MAYOR ORDERS CLEAN UP MAY 29 TO JUNE 3

Mayor C. Harris Park this week issued a proclamation ordering a clean-up in the premises of property owners in Irvine during the week of May 29th to June 3rd. "This is necessary to protect the health of the community as the accumulation of trash and rubbish breeds disease and it is to preserve the health that this clean-up is ordered," the Mayor's proclamation read. Owners were directed to place trash in boxes and place them on the curbs to be picked up by city trucks.

OLDEST PERSON 119

Vidalia, Ga., May 1944 - James Walter Wilson, listed by the Census Bureau as the oldest person in the United States, passed his 119th birthday this month. Born May 15, 1825, in Jefferson County, Ga., he was the property of the Pleas Valden family. Ernest Taylor, on whose place Wilson now lives, said that he is not feeble and is an expert in tobacco culture.

TWO ARRESTED, STILL SEIZED BY OFFICERS

Two men were arrested and a six-barrel distillery was seized by Federal Alcohol Tax Investigators Ebon Champion, A.E. Hickey and E.M. Staton in Estill County Tuesday. One of the men arrested had been sought since December 22 when he fled as investigators confiscated another still in that area. He pleaded not guilty to the December charge and pleaded guilty to charges of distilling, making mash and possessing untaxed whiskey in connection with the new case when arraigned before United States Commissioner William Hays at Winchester. The other man entered a plea of not guilty to the charge and will face a hearing before the commissioner on June 2. Both men were placed in the jail in Winchester in default of bail.

SHARP DECLINE IN JUNE CALL FOR MEN

*Twenty-eight to take test
June 27 as compared to 109
on Thursday, May 25th*

39 men pass test from May 25 group

Men called for pre-induction physical tests of the 27th of June indicates a sharp, tapering off from the number called May 25, when 109 answered the summons, according to Dr. Frank Webb, chairman of the local draft board. The June quota has been fixed at only 28 for Estill County. Approximately 39 of the men who took the test on May 25 passed and have been listed subject to call for the Army and Navy as follows:
Army -
Randall Henry WilsonFox
Richard McCall Martin Irvine
Tracy W. Roberts South Irvine
Clyde B. Osborne Wagersville
Ermon J. Edwards Rice Station
Howard B. McIntosh Irvine
Henry B. Hawkins Fox
James Raider Witt Springs
Ernest Collins Drip Rock
Kenneth G. Winkler Noland
Elmo Witt Witt Springs
Jesse A. Sparks Evelyn
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Walter C. Baker	West Irvine
Emerson Bryant	Station Camp
Martin Tipton	Ravenna
Edwin M. Bonny	Ravenna

FOUR LOCAL MASONS GET SHRINE DEGREES

Four members of the local Masonic bodies journeyed to Lexington Saturday and were given their Shrine degrees by the Oleika temple. They were: Frank D. Salter, W.F. Stevens, R.E. Beckum and A.W. Benning. A group of local Shriners witnessed the work.

KIWANIS CLUB NOTES June 2, 1944

The Irvine-Ravenna Kiwanis Club used its regular meeting time Tuesday night inspecting local cemeteries. The committee was agreeably surprised at the great improvement make in Oakdale and West Irvine cemeteries by the organizations sponsored by the club. The "recruits" and "veterans" attendance contest has closed and the contest will be celebrated with a chicken-strawberry short cake dinner next Tuesday night, and full attendance is requested for this occasion. A plan is now under consideration by the club to make Decoration Day an annual home-coming event for former residents of Estill County and their friends.



Times Past Photo - Wisemantown School 1940's

Wisemantown School with Mrs. Walker in the mid-1940's - Front row (L-R): Reva Boain, Rodney French, Betty Taylor, Reva Cox. Back row (L-R): James Bailey, Josephine Johnson and Viola Babb.



Old Mule Day scene in Estill County in the early 1900's.

Obituaries

Raymond Harold Allen, 80



Raymond Harold Allen, 80, of Tuttle Rd. in Irvine died Monday, May 26, at the Marcum and Wallace Memorial Hospital after a short illness. He was born February 4, 1934, in Estill County, the son of the late Willie Allen and Alva Gabbard. He was a tool and die maker with Bundy Tubing and had lived in Estill County all of his life. He was a member of the Independent Church of God and a veteran of the Air Force. He is survived by his wife, Elwanda Smyth Allen; one daughter, Ratonya Allen of Irvine; a sister in law, Wathena McKinney and husband, Charles, of Richmond; two brothers in law, Elwood Smyth and wife, Reva, of Florida and Lyndon Smyth of Irvine; an aunt and uncle, Marie and Windord Potts. Memorial services were conducted Thursday, May 29, 4 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. James Hicks with burial to follow in the Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Jonathan Tyler Rawlins, 27



Jonathan Tyler Rawlins, 27, of Jeffersonville, KY died Friday, May 23, 2014, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center following a long illness. He was born October 31, 1986 in Fayette County and was the son of Kenny and Mary Nell Muncie Rawlins. He attended the Body of Christ and had lived in Estill County most of his life. Survivors in addition to his father and mother include his grandmother, Evelyn Rawlins of Estill County; several aunts

and uncles and a host of friends.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 28, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Larry Frymyer and Bro. Bill Wesley. Burial was at the West Irvine Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Logan Arthur, Brad Winkler, Jessie Sparks, James "Porky" Hamilton, John Honchell, Jake McGee, Paul Tipton, Justin Babb, Fred Rogers, Chris Brakefield and Ben Cook.

Mattie Frances Jones Warner, 74

Mattie Frances Jones Warner, 74, of Spout Springs Road in Irvine passed away Sunday, May 25, 2014, at the Clark Regional Medical Center following a long illness. She was born January 2, 1940 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Cleve Jones and Fannie Rucker Harris. She was a homemaker and a member of the Bethel Christian Church. She had lived in Estill County all of her life. She is survived by her husband, Robert F. Warner; three daughters; Vanessa Rice and husband, Dale, of Irvine, Helen L. Barnes & husband, Scott, of Irvine, and Miranda Wiseman & husband, Ryan, of Winchester two sons; Charles Warner of Beattyville and Russell Warner and wife, Tangie, of Irvine; three brothers, Wayne Jones of Ohio, Kenneth "Red" Jones of Lexington, and Gary "Pete" Jones of Ohio; 11 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren; special friend, Susan Barnes.

She was preceded in death by four sisters; Helen Jones, Edna Sparks, Lillian Boone and Tootsie Scott; three brothers; Robert, Elbert and Stanley Jones and one great grandchild. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, May 29, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Harvey Spry. Burial at the Salem Cemetery.

Joshua Ray Witt, 32



Joshua Ray Witt, 32, of East St. Catherine St. in Louisville died Friday, May 23, 2014, after a long illness.

He was born March 26, 1982 in Madison County and was the son of David Alan and Donna Carol Noland Witt. He was a member of the Immanuel Baptist Church in Louisville. He enjoyed playing golf and excelled in sports for many years.

Cooking was his talent and passion. He used that passion

to serve and cook in the kitchen at Jefferson Baptist Center of Louisville for the past year. He had lived in Estill County most of his life. Survivors in addition to his father and mother include: his grandmother, Pauline Witt of Estill County; two sisters, Erica and husband, Chris, Mitchell of Estill County and Lindsey Trent and husband, Logan, of Fayette County; one brother, Jamie Witt & wife, Brenda, of Estill County; three neices, Keyairah Mitchell, Haylee Mitchell and Joy Witt; one great-niece, Cloey Grace Moland; three aunts and two uncles. He was preceded in death by his grandparents; Ray and Beulah Noland and Estill Witt and a brother, Gabriel Witt.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, May 25, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. J.C. Tyson and Bro. Rob Steinbrook. Burial at the West Irvine Cemetery. Pallbearers were Chris Burns, Andrew Perkins, Josh Koenig, Josh Ashley, Chris Estes, Jamie Witt and Jeff Sewell. Honorary Pallbearers were Eric Webb, C.J. Estes, Chris Mitchell, Trey Toler and Warren Toler, Jr.

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Kamden and Parker Bray raise a flag in honor of their late father Kenton Bray. Kenton served two tours in the Army in the Iraq war. Bray payed the ultimate sacrifice after returning home. He died in January 2013 of an unknown illness believed to have been war-related.



Kamden and Parker Bray salute the people who came to remember their father at the ceremony this past Saturday.

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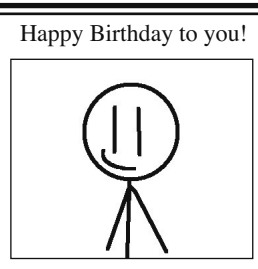
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Foothills’ Outreach Office relocates

The Estill County Outreach Office, operated by Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc., (KRFDC) has relocated to 111 Collins Street in Irvine. KRFDC has a 52 year history of community improvement and promoting self-sufficiency among the area’s low income population. Founded in Winchester, KY in 1962, the agency received designation as a community action agency two years later. The agency provides a comprehensive range of services for families and individuals in the primary service area of Clark, Estill, Madison, and Powell Counties. KRFDC offers a myriad of services that promote stability and independence throughout the life cycle. These services begin with Head Start, continue through skills training programs and culminate with adult day services for the frail and elderly. In between, staff provide nutrition education, build houses for first time homeowners and help families in financial crisis. At the Outreach Office staff work with families in financial crises to help meet immediate needs and make plans for the future so that similar crises are less likely. Outreach staff strive to make sure that each family that comes in leaves with basic needs met. Some of the services offered at the Outreach Office include energy assistance, Weatherization, youth programs, affordable Housing, and Homeownership Counseling. KRFDC provides energy assistance through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) every fall/winter at its Outreach Offices. LIHEAP assists income-eligible households with home heating costs through two programs: LIHEAP Subsidy (typically in November and December, or until all funds are expended) and LIHEAP Crisis (typically January until the middle of March, or until all funds are expended). Through the kynect Program, Foothills staff can offer assistance for local residents in understanding their options for health care coverage through the Affordable Care Act, or health care law. Funded temporarily by Community Action Kentucky, the program provides education services and enrollment assistance to individuals for expanded Medicaid and/or Qualified Health Plans or the Small Business Health Options Program. This service is open to everyone. There are no income guidelines for help. Insurance plans purchased through the exchange or privately through an insurance agent or broker will

Utilities companies hiring active military and veterans

Utilities hiring active and former members of the U.S. Armed Forces. Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company are launching an aggressive hiring campaign in 2014 to fill various open positions across its Kentucky facilities. During National Military Appreciation Month, the company is calling on assistance to reach active and former members of the U.S. military who would be interested in joining more than 300 fellow service members currently employed by the utilities. From 2012 to 2013, the company more than doubled its hiring rate among reservists and veterans, and set a goal to surpass these results through this year’s hiring campaign and collaboration with military-affiliated employment organizations. “We’re currently in the largest construction phase of the company’s history, investing more than \$6 billion in capital improvements, and this is all taking place while we continue providing safe, reliable energy to our customers around the clock,” said Paula Pottinger, senior vice president of Human Resources for LG&E and KU. “With so much activity taking place across the company, there are many new opportunities and open positions from entry-level to management roles.”

cost the same whether assistance is used or not. kynectors cannot recommend plans, but can help individuals and small businesses understand the offerings and determine what is best for them. KRFDC provides free Weatherization services to income-eligible families and individuals. This program works to reduce their heating/cooling costs and improve the safety of their homes by providing energy efficiency measures. On average, weatherization reduces energy bills by 32%. The agency’s Youth Program (GAME ON) serves high school seniors and youth no longer in school, ages 16-18, in Estill and Powell Counties. GAME ON helps youth prepare for college (visits and tours, applications, financial aid, ACT, supplies) and/or employment (resume, interviewing, dress for success, applications); as well as, community service; and leadership activities throughout the year. KRFDC’s Affordable Housing Program assists low and moderate-income households through homebuyer education classes and one-on-one homeownership counseling to purchase homes. KRFDC uses grant funds to provide assistance and the family secures a very low interest loan to cover the remaining cost. Persons living at or below a certain percentage of the median income, including homeless persons who are graduates of KRFDC’s Supportive Housing Program are eligible to apply for the program. Homeownership Counseling is a free service offered in Estill and Powell counties. This service is provided for first time homebuyers with low to moderate incomes and educates participants in every aspect of the home buying process. Other KRFDC programs include Head Start, Liberty Place Recovery Center for Women, Healthy Marriage and Relationship Project, Responsible Fatherhood, Supportive Services for Veteran Families, Community Collaboration for Children, Healthcare for the Homeless/Health and Wellness Center, and Transportation. For more information about KRFDC or one of its programs call 606/723-4492 or visit <http://www.foothillscap.org> Kentucky River Foothills Development Council, Inc. is a private, non-profit, human services agency with the mission of developing community resources so that all persons may have lives of dignity, responsibility and opportunity.

Hensley-Rawlins to wed



Trya Witt Lambert and Jeff Hensley are pleased to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter Ashley Henderson to Bryan Rawlins, son of Denny Rawlins and Wanda Rawlins. The bride and groom are both graduates of Estill County High School. A private ceremony is scheduled to be held on May 31st, 2014. A reception for family and friends will be held on July 12th, 2014.

Unprotected sun exposure can cause aging, disease of your eyes

FRANKFORT, Ky. “After a long, harsh winter, everyone is ready for some fun in the sun. But families should take precautions as they participate in outdoor activities,” according to the Kentucky Optometric Association (KOA). Protecting yourself from the damaging rays of the sun should extend beyond sunscreen for your skin. Safeguarding your eyes is crucial as well. “People spend a lot of time outdoors in the summer, so too much exposure to the sun is common,” said Dr. Lynn Shewmaker, an optometrist with offices in Fort Mitchell and Dry Ridge. “Sunglasses are more than just a fashion accessory because overexposure to ultraviolet rays fast forwards aging of the eyes and increases the risk for serious diseases.” The sun’s UV radiation can cause cataracts; cancer of the eyelids and skin around the eyes; benign growths on the eye’s surface; and photokeratitis, sometimes called snow blindness, which is a temporary but painful sunburn of the eye’s surface. Long-term exposure also can cause damage to the retina, a lining of the eye that is used for seeing. Drivers also should be aware that visibility can be another problem. “Spending just two or three hours in bright sunlight can hamper the eyes’ ability to adapt quickly to nighttime or indoor light levels” Shewmakersaid. “This can make driving at night after spending a day in the sun more hazardous.” In addition, long-term exposure to the blue and violet portion of the solar spectrum has been implicated as a risk factor for macular degeneration, especially for people who are ‘sun sensitive.’ Wide-brimmed hats and caps can block about 50 percent of UV radiation from the eyes, which is not enough protection. To protect your eyes, the Kentucky Optometric

Association recommends people look for sunglass lenses that: Block 99 to 100 percent of both UV-A and UV-B radiation; Screen out 75 to 90 percent of visible light; Are perfectly matched in color and absorption and are free of distortion and imperfection; and Are gray for proper color recognition. In addition, Shewmaker said some contact lenses also can block out both UV-A and UV-B radiation. The KOA also urges parents to remember to protect infants’ and children’s eyes from the sun at all times. This is particularly important since children tend to spend more time in the sun than adults. To find an optometrist in your area, please visit www.kyeyes.org. About the Kentucky Optometric Association:Doctors of optometry are located in 106 counties in Kentucky. They are highly qualified, trained doctors on the frontline of eye and vision care who examine, diagnose, treat and manage diseases and disorders of the eye. In addition to providing eye and vision care, optometrists play a major role in a patient’s overall health and well-being by detecting systemic diseases such as diabetes and hypertension. Prior to optometry school, optometrists typically complete four years of undergraduate study, culminating in a bachelor’s degree. Required undergraduate coursework for pre-optometry students is extensive and covers a wide variety of advanced health, science and mathematics. Optometry school consists of four years of post-graduate, doctoral study concentrating on both the eye and systemic health. In addition to their formal training, doctors of optometry must undergo annual continuing education to stay current on the latest standards of care.

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Financial Spring cleaning; increased savings

How Financial Spring Cleaning Can Lead to a Richer Long-Term Outlook 3 Areas to Consider for Increased Savings

One lesson the average American should have learned from the recent financial crisis and gradual recovery is that putting more money into savings is, in general, good, says veteran financial expert Jeff Gorton.

“When things are fine, most of us are prone to commit less of our money to savings; when the economy is down, however, we realize that having money is far more important than spending it on things we don’t need,” says Gorton, a veteran Certified Public Accountant and Certified Financial Planner™, and head of Gorton Financial Group, (www.gortonfinancialgroup.com).

The personal savings rate in July 2005 hit an all-time low at just 2 percent, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. But in May 2009, near the beginning of the recession, the average American’s savings rate hit a high of 8 percent.

“That rate dwindled as the economy

recovered, which is unfortunate because you can do more with accumulated money, including benefit from investments yielding compound interest, which means that interest also earns interest in an investment,” says Gorton, who suggests practical ways to trim spending in the short term in order to get your financial house in order and accumulate more money in the long term.

- Car buying says plenty about how a consumer views their money. For most Americans, the question is whether to buy new or used. The moment you drive a brand new car off the lot after the purchase, the car’s value drastically drops. Many of the benefits you may enjoy in buying a new car can be had with a certified pre-owned car: low miles, good-as-new functionality and, usually, that new-car smell. And, a given model will have a history, so you can avoid cars that have been recalled. Buying a certified pre-owned car will save you several thousands of dollars versus buying new.
- Summer vacation is an important lifestyle

enhancer for many couples, but consider replacing the \$400-per-night hotel with a condo rented through a private owner, especially if your vacation will last for an extended period. A condo rental should cost you in the ballpark of \$200 per night, which totals \$2,800 savings for two weeks.

- Your home is probably your most significant asset if you’re like most Americans. But with that grand house on the hill comes plenty of costs, many of which you may not need. As with a luxury car, rethinking the amount of luxury for a home can save you big on taxes, insurance and maintenance. The cost of maintaining a large home can be put toward lifestyle activities, such as travel and hobbies.

“Of course, these are all simply suggestions; money plays a major role in how we achieve happiness, and I’ve found through years of working with clients, a few tweaks here and there frequently yields greater satisfaction with their money,” Gorton says. “You don’t have to be on autopilot with your expenses.”

About Jeff Gorton, CPA, CFP
Jeff Gorton is a Certified Public Accountant and a Certified Financial Planner™ specializing in individual tax and retirement planning as head of Gorton Financial Group, (www.gortonfinancialgroup.com). He is also an Investment Advisor Representative under Alphastar Capital Management, an SEC Registered Investment Advisor, and has a life and health insurance license. Gorton works with individuals and their families to create and protect their financial legacies. He specializes in working with retirees in the areas of tax planning, benefits, retirement planning, estate planning and safe money techniques. He received his BBA in Accounting from the University of Oklahoma. Gorton previously worked for 10 years as the Chief Financial Officer for a large retail organization, overseeing their accounting, benefits and 401(k) retirement plans.

Heat wave, Crime Wave

As the temperatures rise and Central Kentucky schools break for summer vacation, incidents of crime increase, too. And it’s no coincidence: According to FBI data, property crimes such as burglary, property theft and motor vehicle theft have risen as much as 9 percent between May and September over the past five years, the highest percentage in the calendar year. To combat this trend, Signal 88 Security, a private security company comprised of more than 100 locally-owned franchises across the U.S., encourages Central Kentucky residents to take a few precautions to protect their property. “Unfortunately, criminals historically take advantage of the crime opportunities summer provides,” says Win Underwood of Signal 88 Security serving Central Kentucky. “Making modifications to your home

or apartment now can prevent you from becoming a victim later.” Signal 88 recommends focusing on three areas of your residence to keep yourself and your property safe this season.

Inside Your Residence:
Make sure dead-bolt locks are installed on all outside doors. They should not require a key from inside so that they’re easy to unlock if you need to get out quickly in case of a fire or other emergency.

Install peepholes on your outside doors so you don’t have to open them to see who’s on the other side. If your outside door has window panels on the side, cover them with blinds or curtains to keep out unwanted eyes.

Keep your blinds or curtains closed when you’re not home, especially on your main or ground-level floor.

If you have a sliding glass door, consider adding

a defense other than the standard lock, such as blocking the track or installing a protective film that prevents the glass door from being smashed in.

Outside Your Residence:
Trim bushes and maintain landscaping to avoid creating unwanted hiding places for would-be intruders. The exterior of your property should be well lit.

Consider installing motion detector lights. Be on the lookout for graffiti tags and vandalism, and fix it as soon as it happens by replacing signs, painting over it or making repairs as necessary.

Report suspicious activity to your property manager, HOA or local law enforcement.

Where You Park: Always lock your vehicle, roll up windows and keep valuables out of sight, no matter where you park.

Gas Buddy: Gas prices still climbing in Ky

Kentucky, May 19- Average retail gasoline prices in Kentucky have risen 3.7 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.72/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy’s daily survey of 2,623 gas outlets in Kentucky. This compares with the national average that has not moved in the last week to \$3.62/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Kentucky during the past week, prices yesterday were 19.1 cents per gallon higher than the same day one year ago and are 3.6 cents per gallon lower than a month

ago. The national average has not moved during the last month and stands 5.0 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.

“The drop that we had observed in the national average weeks ago took a pause over the last week,” said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan.

“Oil prices have perked back up, and some supply tightness across areas of the country helped propel wholesale gasoline prices higher last week, leading retail prices to hold steady instead of continuing to decline.

The temporary stability in the national average will

ebb over the next week or two, and gas prices will head down again as we approach Memorial Day,” DeHaan said.

About GasBuddy
GasBuddy operates KentuckyGasPrices.com and over 250 similar websites that track gasoline prices at over 140,000 gasoline stations in the United States and Canada. In addition, GasBuddy offers a free smartphone app which has been downloaded over 25 million times to help motorists find the lowest gasoline prices in their area.

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Author and Beekeeping expert Tammy Horn will become Kentucky's Apiarist

FRANKFORT, Ky. - A nationally known beekeeping authority and author will join the Kentucky Department of Agriculture as Kentucky's new state apiarist, Agriculture Commissioner James Comer announced today.

Tammy Horn of Lexington will assume the post June 1. "We are very fortunate that we were able to hire Tammy Horn for this important position," Agriculture Commissioner James Comer said. "Dr. Horn's passion for beekeeping has led her to a storied career studying these amazing insects and advocating for beekeeping to a nationwide audience. As Kentucky's state apiarist, she will continue her work to expand the beekeeping economy in Kentucky."

"I am delighted to join Commissioner Comer's team as state apiarist," Dr. Horn said. "This position will enable me to do even more to help Kentucky's beekeepers succeed while continuing my research. I'm grateful to Commissioner Comer for this opportunity."

Dr. Horn currently is senior researcher and apiculturist in the Center for Economic Development, Entrepreneurship, and Technology at Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond. Dr. Horn is director of Coal Country Beeworks, a project affiliated with ECU that develops pollinator habitat on surface mine

sites. She will continue her collaboration with ECU through the university's regional stewardship initiatives.

"We are very proud of what Dr. Horn accomplished during her time at ECU and look forward to continuing our partnership," said Dr. Jerry Pogatschnik, dean of the ECU Graduate School and associate vice president for research at the university.

Dr. Horn is the author of "Bees in America: How the Honey Bee Shaped a Nation" and "Beeconomy: What Women and Bees Can Teach Us About Local Trade and Global Markets," and a third book is forthcoming. She has written numerous articles and given many presentations and interviews.

As president of the Eastern Apiculture Society, Horn will preside over its conference at ECU this summer. She is president of the Kentucky State Beekeepers Association. Her awards include a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Kentucky State Beekeepers Association in 2011 and the Kentucky State Beekeeper of the Year Award in 2009.

Born in Harlan County and with strong family ties to Eastern Kentucky, Dr. Horn was introduced to beekeeping by her grandfather.

Avoid blossom end rot on tomato crop

By Eric Baker

Estill County Agriculture
Extension Agent

Nothing can ruin a mouth-watering tomato more than reaching for one on the vine only to find an ugly, flattened spot on it. If the ugly spot is located on the fruit opposite the stem end, it is likely blossom end rot, a disease caused by a lack of calcium that commonly occurs in tomatoes but can also affect eggplant, peppers and many

cucurbits.

Blossom end rot spots develop into dark brown, leathery decays that may affect half of the tomato. Calcium is an essential part of the chemical "glue" that binds cells together within the fruit. When fruits are enlarging rapidly, sufficient amounts of calcium do not reach the end of the fruit. This causes cells to come apart, resulting in a rot or decay in that area. Calcium does not move easily from other plant

parts, so any disruption in the plant's uptake can result in a deficiency.

Soils in Kentucky are rarely deficient in calcium, but water plays a critical role in the plant's uptake and distribution of calcium. So maintaining an even supply of moisture is important in controlling blossom end rot. However, to be sure that a soil is not calcium-deficient, soil tests should be taken, and if needed, it can be applied as lime prior to planting. If you

need a soil test, contact our office for details.

Irrigate plants as needed, and use mulch to conserve soil moisture. Irrigate on a consistent basis. Don't allow plants to become stressed from too much or too little water. Avoid wetting foliage as much as possible as this could encourage fungal and bacterial diseases to develop on the plant. Trickle or drip irrigation is an excellent way of getting water to plants without the risk of wetting the

foliage or splashing soil onto the foliage which can also lead to disease problems.

In addition, excessive amounts of ammonium tend to depress a plant's calcium uptake. Avoid using urea or fertilizers high in ammonium. Instead, choose fertilizers high in nitrate. Calcium nitrate is an excellent nitrogen fertilizer, although it is more expensive than other nitrogen sources.

For more information on how to keep diseases from

dampening your gardening enthusiasm, contact the Estill County Cooperative Extension Service at 723-4557. Educational programs of the Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Bagworms hatching; time to treat

Bagworm eggs hatch in late May and the tiny larvae crawled out from the end of the bag in search of food. By using silk and bits of plant material, they soon constructed a small bag around their hind part that looks like a tiny, upright ice cream cone. As the larvae continue to feed and grow, they enlarge the bag enabling them to withdraw into it when disturbed. Older larvae strip evergreens of their needles and consume whole leaves of susceptible deciduous species, leaving only the larger veins. The bag is ornamented with bits of whatever type of vegetation they are feeding upon.

If only a few small trees or shrubs are infested, picking the bags off by hand and disposing of them may afford satisfactory control. This approach is most effective during fall, winter or early spring before the eggs have hatched. When many small bagworms are infesting

evergreens, an insecticide may be needed to prevent serious damage. The best time to apply an insecticide is while the larvae are still small (less than 1/2-inch long). Small larvae are more vulnerable to insecticides, and inflict less damage. Carefully inspect susceptible landscape plants, especially evergreens, for last year's bags. Young bagworms are harder to see; look closely for the small, upright bags which have the appearance of tiny ice cream cones constructed of bits of plant material. Preventive treatment is often justified on plants that were heavily infested with bagworms the previous year. June is the best time to treat for bagworms.

Several products are available for homeowner and professional use. For homeowners, conventional insecticides such as Sevin, Bonide Eight, Bayer Multi-Insect Killer, Ortho Max Lawn and Garden Insect Killer, or the microbial insecticide

Bacillus thuringiensis (BT) provide satisfactory results. The BT products have very low mammalian toxicities, but are only effective against younger larvae. If large bagworms are present (more than about 3/4-inch long), a conventional insecticide probably will provide better results. Foliage should be thoroughly wetted with the insecticide spray in order to achieve thorough coverage. Trade names are used as examples. No endorsement is intended, nor criticism implied of similar products not named. Always read and follow directions on the label.

For insect identification or more information, contact the Estill County Extension Office at 606-723-4557. Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Help for farmers

\$15 mil available to farmers, ranchers, in some areas this year

\$15 M in targeted conservation help is available to farmers and ranchers in impoverished communities this year

Lexington, KY, May 21, 2014 -USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) will target more than \$840,000 this year in technical and financial conservation assistance for Kentucky farmers, ranchers and forest landowners in persistent poverty rural areas.

StrikeForce for Rural Growth and Opportunity is a USDA effort that focuses high-priority assistance in rural communities in 20 states, including Kentucky, with a special emphasis on historically underserved farmers, ranchers and communities in counties with persistent poverty. Since 2010, USDA has partnered through StrikeForce with more than 400 community organizations, businesses, foundations, universities and other groups to support 80,300 projects and usher more than \$9.7 billion in investments into rural America.

"Although USDA is always available to help these producers, the targeted funding through StrikeForce, along with the pooling of public resources and local expertise, is continuing to grow rural economies," said Tony Nott, Acting State Conservationist. "This is a strategy that is working in rural America, and I am pleased that we continue to build on these efforts to

bring assistance to areas that need it the most."

Producers can visit their local USDA Service Center and apply anytime for StrikeForce conservation assistance through the 2014 Farm Bill's Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP). In addition to the targeted StrikeForce funding, Kentucky NRCS will utilize some of their regular EQIP funds to provide assistance in Kentucky's 73 StrikeForce counties.

Producers can work with NRCS on a number of conservation activities, including: installing cross-fencing on a farm to protect soil and help cattle; using forest stand improvement to enhance woodlands; or installing a seasonal high tunnel to extend the growing season.

"Conservation efforts help producers make a living while promoting clean air and water, healthy soil and wildlife habitat," Nott said. "These practices also give long-term resistance to extreme weather events, including drought and flooding."

StrikeForce is creating conservation opportunities in rural communities and tribes across the nation. For more information and StrikeForce successes, visit the NRCS StrikeForce webpage or your local NRCS office.

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Health Talks/Blood Pressure Monitoring/Health Counseling

Health Talks are provided monthly at Wallace Court and Mountain Crest housing sites on dates announced by the Housing Authority of Irvine. Monthly Health Checks are also available. Providing Health Counseling and Blood Pressure Monitoring. 1St Wednesday: Williams Memorial Baptist Church. 3Rd Sunday: Ravenna Christian Church and St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.

Body Fitness Classes

The Body Fitness Exercise classes led by Sister Loretta Spotila, RN. Spring Session ended on Wednesday, May 21, 2014. Classes are on Mondays and Wednesdays at the Central Office Building Gym from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. The Fall Session will begin in September 2014. Please watch the Community Calendar for the date. For more information, call 723-8505.

Registered Nursing Aide Classes

Community Education, a program of the Clark County Schools, is offering State Registered Nurse Aide on Saturdays, August 9th through October 12, 2014 (No class on August 30.) at the New Area Tech Center at the New GRC High School from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. by Rhonda Gilmore, NR as the instructor. Cost is \$270. The textbook is available at Bethany Book Room in Winchester for \$101.90 plus tax. The state testing fee of \$75 will be collected toward the end of the session. The course is 75 hours and includes classroom and clinical time. Call 859-745-3946 for more information or email cora.heffner@clark.kyschools.us. Checks can be made payable to Community Education and mailed to 24 W. Lexington Ave., Suite 220, Winchester, KY 40391. Registration is not complete until tuition payment is received in their office. Space is limited.

Lamb Family Reunion-New Location

The Annual Lamb Family Reunion for the family and friends of James W. and Agnes Gross Lamb will be held on Saturday, June 7, 2014 at the Irvine Masonic Lodge at 221 Broadway, Irvine, KY. Doors will be open at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. Bring a covered dish and join us.

Miss Estill County/ Miss Estill County Teen/ Miss Pre-Teen Estill County applications available

Starting on June 2 applications will be taken for:
Miss Estill County Open Beauty Contest – Ages 16-21
Miss Estill County Open Teen Beauty Contest – Ages 13-15
Miss Estill County Pre-Teen Pageant (Closed) – Ages 8-12
Pageant dates: Miss Estill County Pageant & Miss Estill County Teen will be Monday, June 30th, 2014 and Miss Estill County Pre-Teen Pageant will be Tuesday, July 1st, 2014 at the Estill County Fairgrounds. Pageant entry deadline for all 3 pageants is Saturday, June 28, 2014. For more information or an application call Gina Flynn (606)975-5851 or email at gina.flynn@estill.kyschools.us or applications can be picked up at the Estill County Extension Office.

Little Mister and Miss Estill County Pageant and Baby Show

Applications for the Little Mister and Miss Estill County Pageant are now being accepted. This pageant is open to boys and girls ages 5-7. The pageant will be held on Tuesday, July 1, 2014 at the Estill County Fairgrounds immediately following the Baby Show. Baby Show starts at 7:00 p.m. (Must be Estill County residents - Residential home falls within the Estill County lines). For further information contact Tammy Cole (723-4326), Susan Lay (726-9989) or the Extension Office (723-4557).

C H U R C H N E W S

Ravenna Church of Nazarene

Ravenna Church of the Nazarene will have a Vacation Bible School for kids in Kindergarten - 5th Grade. Services will be each night from 6:30PM - 8PM beginning on Tuesday, May 27th and ending with a closing program on Sunday morning, June 1st. Children's Evangelist, Rev. David Street will be leading the Services. Need a ride or more information? Call the Church at 723-4259.

New Bethel Baptist Church #2

The New Bethel Baptist Church #2 on Barnes Mountain will be having church service on Saturday, May 31st, 2014 beginning at 7 p.m. Pastor Chris Carlyle will be preaching and the Watson Family will be singing. Everyone is welcome.

Stacy Lane Community Pentecostal Church of God

There will be a singing at the Stacy Lane Community Pentecostal Church of God on Saturday, May 31st at 1 p.m. special singers will be Bro. Scott Marshel, Bro. David and Bro. Don Fountain, Bro. Mike and Sis. Joanne Perry, Bro William Schuler and family, Bro. Arthur Christopher, Bro. Ferris and Sis. Norma Lee. Pastor Jason Riddell and the congregation welcomes everyone to come enjoy a day of fellowship. For more information or questions call 606-723-0216

Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna

The Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna will meet Thursday, May 29, 5:30 p.m. at Michael's Restaurant. The devotional will be presented by Terry Barnes. Also, there will be a Board of Directors meeting. The Kiwanis Club has over 90 years of service to our community.

Bryant, Callahan, and McKinney Reunion

The Bryant, Callahan, McKinney Family and Friends get-together will be Saturday, June 14, beginning around 11 a.m. until about 5 p.m. at 560 Wagersville Road. Turn left on 1209 in Estill County and continue about a half a mile. The get together will be beside the Callahan Cemetery. Bring a covered dish or two, a lawn chair, and your choice of beverages. For more information, contact Diane Purvis, Grover McKinney or Gwen Hager.

Cattle Producer Meeting

Estill County Cooperative Extension and Estill County Cattlemen's Association will have a cattle producer's meeting on Thursday, June 12, 6:00 p.m., at the Estill County Extension Office. All cattle producers are encouraged to attend. Our guest speaker is UK Ruminant Veterinarian Michelle Arnold. She will discuss a serious cattle disease called anaplasmosis and control options. After the meeting, the Estill County Cattlemen's Association will have their June business meeting. A catered meal is provided thanks to Farm Credit Services. Door prizes will be given as well. In order to prepare enough food, please pre-register by calling 723-4557 on or before June 6th.

Estill Co. Historical and Genealogical Society

The Estill County Historical and Genealogical Society will meet on Tuesday, June 3, 2014, at the home of Gene and Eva Watson at McIntosh Hollow for their annual picnic. Please bring a covered dish. Following the dinner, there will be an auction with items provided by the members. All proceeds from the auction will be used to make museum improvements. The 2014 calendar is now available at the Museum on Saturdays. There should be a correction in the calendar for the month of July: "Anne Rainey Clark" should be listed as "Nancy Ann Rainey Clark". The Estill County Pictorial History, WW II Book, the School Book, and the two volumes of the Cemetery Books are still available.

Holes for Hoops Golf Scramble

Holes for Hoops Golf Scramble will be held on Saturday, June 14th at the Estill County Golf Course. Entry fee is \$50 per person or \$200 for a team of four. There will be all kinds of prizes. Come out, have fun, and support the boys basketball program at Estill County High. Contact Rebecca Click at 606-643-5569 to get registered.

Estill County Farmer's Market

The Estill County Farmer's Market will be open on Tuesdays from 3 to 6 p.m., (except Senior Day, which is the second of each month from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.) and Fridays, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Come out and support your local farmers.

Estill Adult Learning Center

Is not having your high school diploma preventing you from getting the job you want? The official GED test is now being offered weekly within our area. If you are interested in preparing to take the GED test, we offer classes in literacy(language and reading), math, science, and social studies at the center Monday through Thursday. Come by or call the center at 723-7323 to get a copy of our class schedule and to learn about future test dates. Graduation is June 20th!!!

South Irvine Church of Christ

There will be a gospel meeting at the South Irvine Church of Christ, June 1st through June 4th. The times for the services will be Sunday morning 10 a.m. until noon and 6:00 p.m. and Monday-Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. The guest preacher will be Randy Imel, minister for the Menifee County Church of Christ. Everyone is invited to attend. Please call (606) 975-0550 for more information or if you need a ride.

First Christian Church

There will be a Block Party on June 21, from 4 to 8 p.m. and there will be entertainment for people of all ages. We will have a dunking booth as well as large inflatables for children to play on as well as other fun and games for the entire family. Starting at 5 p.m. there will be live music. Christian Hip Hop artist "Gone" will perform between 6 and 7 p.m. and will be performing songs off his new CD "In Good Faith". From 7 to 8 p.m. gospel group "64 to Grayson" will be performing. They are a nationally renowned Christian group. There will be a large variety of music-a little something for everyone.

Irvine Free Methodist Church

It's our 95th Anniversary at Irvine Free Methodist Church. Come see us at 113 N. Plum St., Irvine, KY 40336 on Sunday, June 8th, 2014 at 10:30 a.m. We invite everyone, including members from the past, to join us and be a part of this historical homecoming experience. We will have testimony time and special music. Dinner will follow the service. Contact Pastor Chris Carlyle at 606-531-0465.

Community Calendar and Church News
announcements should include a brief description of the event along with the time, date and location. Please include a phone number for more information with the announcement.
Announcements can be submitted by mail, email or phone.
Deadline for announcements is Monday at 5 p.m.

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BEECH GROVE BAPTIST Red Lick Rd., Rt. 3, 723-6745; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Pastor Marion Brewer

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COW CREEK BAPTIST Hwy. 52, Beattyville Rd., Ravenna; 723-6183; Harold J. Lahrmer, Min.

DRIP ROCK BAPTIST, Route 2004; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:30 a.m. 4th Saturday singing 6 p.m.

EASTER VALLEY BAPTIST Star Route, Irvine; Pastor, Michael Davis; S.S. 10am, W.S. 10:45am & 6pm.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST 3905 Richmond Rd.; Sherl Thomas, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

FAITH BAPTIST, KY 52, 1 mile east of Estill-Lee county line. SS 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Todd Blevins

FIRST BAPTIST 351 Broadway, 723-4173; Chris Winkler, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST Hudson Avenue and River Drive, 723-4816; Scott Rogers, min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

GREENBRIAR BAPTIST 6750 McKee Rd.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Delmar McGee.

HARG BAPTIST Spout Springs Rd., 723-6747; Larry Neal, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IVORY HILL BAPTIST 8315 Winchester Rd., Ted Barker, Min.; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

KNOB LICK BAPTIST CHURCH Knob Lick Rd., Fred Livingood, pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

MORRIS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST Kevin Chaney, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6p.m., Thurs. 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL #1 BAPTIST CHURCH Barnes Mt.; Rev. Aaron L. Stamper; W.S. Sunday 11 a.m.

OLD TIME BAPTIST Jerry Chaney Pastor; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Singing Service, Worship Service follows the singing.

PINE HILL BAPTIST Star Route Bro. Dennis Williams, Min. S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m., Bill Meece pastor.

SALEM BAPTIST Spout Springs, 723-6683; Jerry Smith, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE BAPTIST 1215 South Irvine Road, 723-

8298; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Donnie Burford.

THOMAS BAPTIST Route 2; Rick Kirby, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 pm. Phone 723-6809

WILLIAMS MEMORIAL BAPTIST 404 Poplar St., Ravenna, 723-5429; Vincent Carmen, Interim Min.; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

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CHRISTIAN

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BETHEL CHRISTIAN Fox, KY 859-744-0277, Doyle Spry, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.

CORINTH CHRISTIAN Linville Dunaway, 723-3369. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN Leo Crowe, Min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 270 Main St., Irvine 723-2924 S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m. Bro. Greg Humpert, Pastor.

MT. CARMEL CHRISTIAN 180 Furnace Jct., Ravenna, Min. Mark Pearson, 726-9342, church, cell phone 859-582-5015; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

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SOUTH IRVINE CHURCH OF CHRIST 723-3707; Tony Belcher, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

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CHURCH OF GOD

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Millers Creek 723-4749; Merle Travis, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

GUM SPRINGS CHURCH OF GOD Glenn Case, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:15 a.m. & 6p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 7 p.m.

HARGETT FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Forrest Turpin, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.

IRVINE CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 223 High St. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 6:30 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IRVINE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 197 Broadway 723-6911; Stanley Hutchinson, Interim Pastor; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6:30 p.m. p.m.

RAVENNA CHURCH OF GOD 212 Third St. 723-2898 Willie Hargus Gordon, Min. Brad Brinegar, Youth Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

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METHODIST

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WISEMANTOWN UNITED METHODIST 1358 Wisemantown Rd., 723-5694; Pastor Greg McClellan, S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m.

NAZARENE

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Howard Coop
Guest Columnist

Each morning when I begin the day, I think about the number of things I need to do before the day is over. I realize that some are more important than others. As I contemplate that list of things, I prepare a list, and I placed the things

I think are more important at the top of the list with the expectation of doing them first. That “to do” list becomes my guide for the day. In life, establishing priorities and allowing those priorities to guide one is tremendously important. First things, those that are really important, should be first, and secondary things, those that have less importance, should find their rightful place.

Dr. Pierce Harris, a man I knew casually many years ago, related an incident that has significance for everyone. One day Dr. Harris and associate, a former World War II fighter pilot, were playing golf. As they relaxed at one hole, a plane flew over them, and Dr. Harris asked his associate about the plane and how fast it was flying. The associate told Dr. Harris that the plane was a jet,

a fighter plane, and it was flying at about 500 miles per hour. After they had played another hole or two, another plane flew over. Again, Dr. Harris asked his associate about it. His associate said that the plane was the type used for rescue work at sea, and it was flying at about 150 miles per hour. Then, after a pause, the associate said, “It’s silly, isn’t it? If you’re going to kill somebody, you go 500 miles an hour, but if you are just going out to save a life, you knock along at 150.”

Establishing priorities and pursuing them is important. H. L. Hunt said, “Decide what you want, decide what you are willing to exchange for it. Establish your priorities and go to work.” Then, Scott Caan got it right when he said, “Good things happen when you get your priorities straight.”

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ESTATE OF: Nancy Moore, Public Administrator: Hon. Rodney G. Davis, Date Apptd.: 05-07-2014, Attorney: Tammy Howard, P.O. Box 992, Jackson, KY 41339

Estate of: Ora Lee Blackson-Thomas A/K/A Ora Lee Blackson, Executor: Timothy W. Bowles, Date Apptd.: 05-20-2014, Attorney: Rodney G. Davis, PO Box 150, 200 Main St., Irvine, KY 40336

Estate of: Betty Powell, Administrator: Vicki L. Horn, 409 Poplar St, Ravenna, KY 40472, Date Apptd.: 05-19-2014

Estate of: Milly J. Roberts, Executor: Darrell Dixon, Date Apptd.: 05-19-2014, Attorney: Paul E. Fagan, PO Box 783, Richmond, KY 40476

Estate of: Mary Benton, Administrator: Larry Honchell, 1095 Crooked Creek Rd, Irvine, KY 40336, Date Apptd.: 05-19-2014

Notice is hereby given by the Estill District Court that administration has been granted in the estates listed above. All persons having claims against the same have six months from the date of appointment to file the same, properly proven, with the respective representative.

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NOTICE of FINAL SETTLEMENT

ESTATE OF: Barbara Alice Bell, Executor: Steve Durbin, Date Apptd.: 08-14-2013, Attorney: Rodney G. Davis, PO Box 150, 200 Main Street, Irvine, KY 40336, Agent for service of process: Rebecca Werner, 200 Main St., PO Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336

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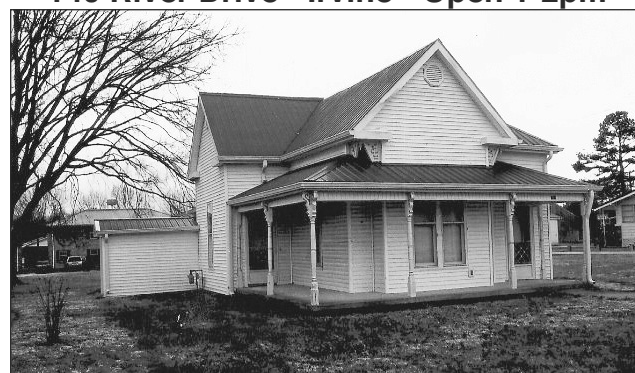
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	Municipal Aid Program	Local Government Economic Assistance
Balance Carried Forward	\$0.00	\$0.00
Anticipated Receipts	\$32,393.63	\$2,500.00
Anticipated Interest Income	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Resources Available for Appropriation	\$32,393.63	\$2,500.00
PUBLIC INSPECTION: The City's proposed budget and proposed uses of Municipal Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance Program funds are available for public inspection at City Hall during normal business hours.		
Interested persons and organizations in Irvine are invited to the public hearing to submit written or oral comments on the proposed uses of Local Government Economic Assistance Funds as they relate to the City's entire budget.		
Any person(s), especially senior citizens, who cannot submit written comments or attend the public meeting, but wish to submit comments, should call City Hall (606)723-2554, so that the City can make arrangements to secure their comments.		

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY ESTILL CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION NO. 13-CI-190	
SAM WHITE D/B/A DOGWOOD MANAGEMENT	PLAINTIFF
V.	
REGINA ANNE ELLIS and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; COOLEY N. ELLIS, JR. and HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE; JOSEPH P. ELLIS and HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE; TIMOTHY S. ELLIS and HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE; JANET MCGARRY and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; CONSTANCE RUTH HUGHEY and DAVID JAMES HUGHEY, HUSBAND and WIFE; JESS J. ELLIS and HIS UNKNOWN SPOUSE; MARY GENITE and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; EDNA TANBER and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; ELSIE SABA and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; EMILY SABA and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; LUCILLE DARAH and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; IRA R. COLE and MAE F. COLE, HUSBAND and WIFE; MARY ELIZABETH DALY ELLIS and HER UNKNOWN SPOUSE; CHARLIE PARK; M D WOOD; ESTILL COUNTY, KENTUCKY; UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS, INCLUDING HEIRS AND CONSORTS OF THEM AND EACH OF THEM AND THEIR RESPECTIVE INTEREST OF SUCH UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE CONSORTS, IF ANY	DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SALE *****	
By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale by the Estill Circuit Court in the above cause, I will, on Friday, June 6, 2014 at the hour of 9:30 a.m., at the Courthouse door in Irvine, Estill County, Kentucky, offer the respective interests of the above parties in the following described property for sale at public auction, to-wit: A certain piece or tract of land lying and being in Estill County, Kentucky, and on the waters of Station Camp Creek and bounded as follows: Beginning at a walnut tree in an agreed line between Jim Flynn and Walker Flynn at the head of a ravine; thence down the ravine to the branch; thence across the said branch to the fence in another agreed line between the said Walker and James Flynn; thence a S.W. course with the fence to the limestone cliff; thence with said cliff to Elizabeth Flynn and Neal Thomas line; thence with the cliff to a drain; thence down the drain to the branch to a beech; thence down the branch to a beech at the big gate; thence an east course up the point with the divide of said point to said limestone cliff; thence a northeast course with said cliff to Jas. Hoover's line; thence with said Hoover's line to the limestone cliff; thence with said cliff to the beginning, containing thirty-six (36) acres, more or less.	
Being the same property conveyed to Cooley Ellis by Ira R. Cold and Mae F. Cole, husband and wife, by deed dated April 22, 1949, recorded in Deed Book 101, Page 606, records of the Estill County Clerk's Office, Irvine, Kentucky.	
Subject to any and all applicable restrictive covenants, existing easements, utility easement, right-of-way, provisions of applicable zoning statutes and ordinances, and rules and regulations of the Department of Health, if any. The above described property shall be sold upon the following terms and conditions: 1. The purchaser shall take the sale real estate free and clear of the claims of the parties to this action, but it shall be sold subject to the following: a. current year (2014) ad valorem real estate taxes affecting the real estate for which the purchaser shall take no credit on the purchase price; b. easements, restrictions, and stipulations of record; c. any current assessments for public improvements levied against the property; and d. any matters which would be disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. 2. The sale shall be made to the highest and best bidder or bidders. The successful bidder shall pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for sixty (60) days. Any purchaser who does not pay cash in full, shall be required to execute a bond, with surety thereon acceptable to the Master Commissioner, to secure the unpaid balance of the purchase price and sale bond shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid, and shall have the same force and effect as a judgment and shall remain and be a lien on the property until paid. The purchasers shall have the privilege of paying all of the balance of the purchase price prior to the expiration of the sixty (60) day period. 3. The successful bidder at sale, at bidder's own expense, may carry fire and extended insurance coverage on the improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is fully paid, in an amount at least sufficient to cover a loss to the extent of the court appraised value of the improvements on the real estate or the unpaid balance of the purchase price is fully paid, in the amount whichever is less, with the loss payable clause to the Master Commissioner. Failure of the purchaser to effect such insurance coverage shall not affect the validity of the sale or the purchaser's liability there under, but shall entitle, but not require, any party adjudicated an interest in the real estate, after giving notice to the Master Commissioner, to effect said insurance and furnish evidence of the policy to the Master Commissioner. The premium of the insurance policy shall then be charged to the purchaser as purchaser's cost.	
Michael Dean Master Commissioner 103 Main Street Irvine, Kentucky 40336 606-723-4000	

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY 23RD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT ESTILL CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION NO. 13-CI-217	
KENTUCKY HOUSING CORPORATION	PLAINTIFF
VS.	
DAVID R. CONRAD ROSANNA CONRAD BLUE WORLD POOLS, INC. MIDLAND FUNDING, LLC	DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE *****	
By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale by the Estill Circuit Court in the above cause, I will, on Friday, June 6, 2014 at the hour of 9:30 a.m., at the Courthouse door in Irvine, Estill County, Kentucky, offer the respective interests of the above parties in the following described properties for sale at public auction, to-wit: Legal Description: 1435 Burton Williams Road, Irvine, Estill County, Ky 40336	
Tract 1 of the Brooke Haven Lot Survey for H. D. Conrad made by Charles E. Black, RLS 670, dated September 22, 2001, and recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, Slide 2-101, in the Estill County Clerk's Office, Irvine, Kentucky, reference to which is hereby made for a more particular description, and the improvements thereon being known as 1435 Burton Williams Road.	
Subject to any and all applicable restrictive covenants including, but not necessarily limited to those of record in Plat Cabinet 2, Slide 2-101, Estill County Court Clerk's Office, existing easements, utility easements, rights of way, provisions of applicable zoning statutes and ordinances and rules and regulations of the Department of Health, of any.	
Being the same property conveyed to David R. Conrad and Rosanna Conrad, husband and wife, by Deed dated March 28, 2008 and of record in Deed Book 0273, Page 282, in the Estill County Clerk's Office.	
Subject to any and all applicable restrictive covenants, existing easements, utility easement, right-of-way, provisions of applicable zoning statutes and ordinances, and rules and regulations of the Department of Health, if any. Also subject to any regulations that might apply through planning & zoning. The above described property shall be sold upon the following terms and conditions: 1. The purchaser shall take the sale real estate free and clear of the claims of the parties to this action, but it shall be sold subject to the following: a. current year (2014) ad valorem real estate taxes affecting the real estate for which the purchaser shall take no credit on the purchase price; b. easements, liens, restrictions, and stipulations of record; c. any current assessments for public improvements levied against the property; and d. any matters which would be disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. 2. The sale shall be made to the highest and best bidder or bidders. The successful bidder shall pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for ninety (90) days. Any purchaser, other than the Plaintiff, who does not pay cash in full, shall be required to execute a bond, with surety thereon acceptable to the Master Commissioner to secure the unpaid balance of the purchase price and sale bond shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid, and shall have the same force and effect as a judgment and shall remain and be a lien on the property until paid. The purchasers shall have the privilege of paying all of the balance of the purchase price prior to the expiration of the ninety (90) day period. 3. The successful bidder at sale, at bidder's own expense, may carry fire and extended insurance coverage on the improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is fully paid, in an amount at least sufficient to cover a loss to the extent of the court appraised value of the improvements on the real estate or the unpaid balance of the purchase price is fully paid, in the amount whichever is less, with the loss payable clause to the Master Commissioner. Failure of the purchaser to effect such insurance coverage shall not affect the validity of the sale or the purchaser's liability there under, but shall entitle, but not require, any party adjudicated an interest in the real estate, after giving notice to the Master Commissioner, to effect said insurance and furnish evidence of the policy to the Master Commissioner. The premium of the insurance policy shall then be charged to the purchaser as purchaser's cost. 4. In the event the Plaintiff or Cross-Claimant becomes the purchaser of the real estate at the Master Commissioner's sale, and it the Plaintiff's bid if less than its lien adjudged herein, Plaintiff may comply with the terms of sale by taking credit upon this Judgment without making the cash deposit or execution the sale bond as provided for in this Judgment.	
Michael Dean, Master Commissioner 103 Main Street Irvine, Kentucky 40336 606-723-4000	

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY ESTILL CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION NO. 13-CI-267	
VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.	PLAINTIFF
VS.	
ANDREW MARTIN, MARY L. MARTIN, PHILLIP R. ALLEN, CONNIE ALLEN, and ESTILL COUNTY, KENTUCKY	DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE *****	
By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale by the Estill Circuit Court in the above cause, I will, on Friday, June 6, 2014 at the hour of 9:30 a.m., at the Courthouse door in Irvine, Estill County, Kentucky, offer the respective interests of the above parties in the following described properties for sale at public auction, to-wit: Property address: 70 Abney Hollow Road, Clay City, Kentucky	
A certain tract of land lying and being in Estill County and on the waters of Little Hardwicks Creek and more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the margin of the Abney Hollow Road, thence running S 12 degrees 26 36 west a distance of two hundred fifty four and forty two one hundred feet (254.42) to a point in said road; thence running N 41 degrees S 4' 56" West a distance of 209.61 feet; to a point at the center of the stream; thence running N 00 degrees 14' 56" East 96.56 feet; thence running N 18 degrees 14' 55" W 165.30' to a point in the center of stream; thence continuing N 06' 1750' W a distance of 73.3 feet; thence N 1822' 50" W a distance of 81.68 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.58 acres.	
Being the same property conveyed to Connie Allen, married, by Deed dated November 28, 2006, of record in Deed Book 266, Page 447 in the Office of the Estill County Clerk.	
ALSO included is a 2008 Clayton Mobile Home, Serial No. CLM089021TN	
Subject to any and all applicable restrictive covenants, existing easements, utility easement, right-of-way, provisions of applicable zoning statutes and ordinances, and rules and regulations of the Department of Health, if any. Also subject to any regulations that might apply through planning & zoning. The above described property shall be sold upon the following terms and conditions: 1. The purchaser shall take the sale real estate free and clear of the claims of the parties to this action, but it shall be sold subject to the following: a. current year (2014) ad valorem real estate taxes affecting the real estate for which the purchaser shall take no credit on the purchase price; b. easements, liens, restrictions, and stipulations of record; c. any current assessments for public improvements levied against the property; and d. any matters which would be disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. 2. The sale shall be made to the highest and best bidder or bidders. The successful bidder shall pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days. Any purchaser, other than the Plaintiff, who does not pay cash in full, shall be required to execute a bond, with surety thereon acceptable to the Master Commissioner to secure the unpaid balance of the purchase price and sale bond shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid, and shall have the same force and effect as a judgment and shall remain and be a lien on the property until paid. The purchasers shall have the privilege of paying all of the balance of the purchase price prior to the expiration of the thirty (30) day period. 3. The successful bidder at sale, at bidder's own expense, may carry fire and extended insurance coverage on the improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is fully paid, in an amount at least sufficient to cover a loss to the extent of the court appraised value of the improvements on the real estate or the unpaid balance of the purchase price is fully paid, in the amount whichever is less, with the loss payable clause to the Master Commissioner. Failure of the purchaser to effect such insurance coverage shall not affect the validity of the sale or the purchaser's liability there under, but shall entitle, but not require, any party adjudicated an interest in the real estate, after giving notice to the Master Commissioner, to effect said insurance and furnish evidence of the policy to the Master Commissioner. The premium of the insurance policy shall then be charged to the purchaser as purchaser's cost. 4. In the event the Plaintiff or Cross-Claimant becomes the purchaser of the real estate at the Master Commissioner's sale, and it the Plaintiff's bid if less than its lien adjudged herein, Plaintiff may comply with the terms of sale by taking credit upon this Judgment without making the cash deposit or execution the sale bond as provided for in this Judgment.	
Michael Dean, Master Commissioner 103 Main Street Irvine, Kentucky 40336 606-723-4000	



COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriages

- Ann Marie Bivins, 28, Billing Specialist to Jonathon Wayne Kirby, 30, Corrections Officer.
- Kalya Breanne Powell, 21, Manager to Anthony Kyle Brewer, 23, Manager.
- Emmarose Smith, 28, Accountant to Terry Wayne Puckett, 41, Unemployed.
- Chelsea Nicole Officer, 25, Student to Floyd Elliot Bailey, 26, Plumber.
- Roseann Hayes, 44, Housewife to Jesse Bee Dalton, 58, Heavy equipment operator.

District Civil Court

- Tammy Townsends vs. Samantha Price, \$460.00 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC vs. Ashley Luster, \$813.13 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Alpha Credit Corporation vs. Phyllis Tipton, \$ 645.03 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Bobby Goosey vs. Mikkisha Fowler, \$575.00 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Midland Funding, LLC vs. Bessie Puckett, \$658.50 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Steve McGee vs. Delaina Dunaway, \$800.00 claim rent owed plus cost and interest.
- Midland Funding, LLC vs. William Lamb, \$2,114.26 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Kentucky Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company(Janet Rose) vs., A.O. Smith Corporation, claim damage to property due to faulty water heater, cost for repair plus court cost.

Circuit Civil Court

- Susan Willis vs. Herman Willis, petition for dissolution of marriage.
- James Elbert Richardson vs. Dora Mae Richardson, notice of final divorce hearing.
- Rhonda Brewer vs. Stevie Wayne Brewer, petition for dissolution of marriage.
- Wanda and Farrell Willis vs. Evelyn Tackett, Ricky Walling and Teresa Walling, moving property line markers up a hill and building a fence after land had been surveyed.
- Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC vs. Clinton W. Staton, \$16,690.99 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Mickie Sue Plowman vs. Scott Edward Plowman, petition for dissolution of marriage.
- Brittany Dawn Lewis vs. Tony Wilkes Lewis Jr., final divorce hearing.
- Professional Financial Service of Kentucky, LLC vs. Erica K. Spivey, \$5,739.59 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Megan Kendra Floyd vs William Matthew Floyd, separation agreement.
- Teri Lynn Gregory vs. Coy Ray Gregory, petition for dissolution of marriage.
- Samantha Roberts Johnson vs. Randal Blake Johnson, petition for dissolution of marriage.
- Josh Williams vs. April Harrison, motion for temporary custody.
- Credit Acceptance Corporation vs. Jackie Rogers, \$4,826.11 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.
- Credit Acceptance Corporation vs. Lori M. Dixon, \$8,478.61 claim debt owed plus cost and interest.

Deeds

- Flynn Rentals, LLC to Ronald Steven McGee and Charles Elbert Arvin, \$21,500 tract land in Estill County.
- Jordan Morgan Properties, LLC to Donn and Susan Jako, \$500.00 tract of land in city of Irvine, Estill County.
- Robert and Amy Wilson to Kimberly Plowman, \$14,000 tract of land in Estill county.
- Ivan and Shawna Smith to Thomas H. and Francine F. Bonny, \$19,000 tract of land in Estill County.
- Billy Ingram, executor of Estate of Billy Ray Ingram to Myrtle Moore, \$28,000 tract of land in Estill County.
- John and Patricia Logan to Evelyn Tackett, \$10,500 tract of land in Estill County.
- Nina Watkins and Wayne Burton to Teresa Burton, \$1.00 in consideration of love and affection, tract of land in Estill County.
- John and April Willis to Beau McSparin, \$55,000 tract of land in Estill County.
- Joyce Gay a/k/a Joyce Mellberg and Ted Gay to Brian McGee, Steven McGee, Edgar McGee and Grace McGee, \$6,000 tract of land in Estill County.
- Betty Howard, executrix of Estate of Norma Hall to Billy C. and Loretta Kelley, \$88,000 tract of land in Estill County.
- Paul Whitley to Richard and Deborah Haggard, \$1.00 in consideration for love and affection for his nephew and wife, tract of land in Estill County.
- Doris M. Workman to Ray and Melissa Skinner, \$8,500 tract of land in Estill and Jackson Counties.

District Court

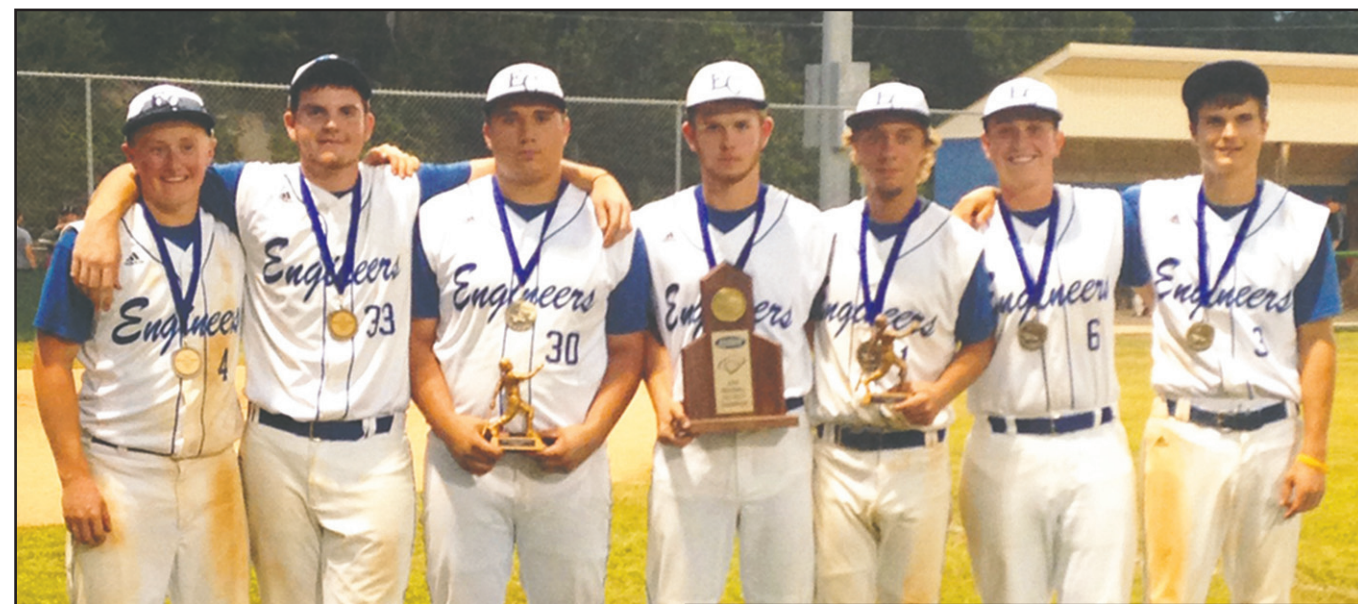
- Joshua L. Crowe, motion hour, motion to revoke probation, continued until June 11.
- Dustin Adam Sutton, pretrial conference, no operators/moped license, failure to appear, warrant of arrest.
- Timera A. Neal, Pretrial conference, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, continued until June 11.
- Erville Townsend Jr., pretrial conference, failure to wear seat belts, operating on suspended/revoked operators license., continued until June 11.
- Patricia Gay Maze, pretrial conference, no operators/moped license, dismissed with proof.
- James Roberts III, show cause hearing, restitution \$1,1143.50, continued until July 9.
- Shawn Cornett, other hearing, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, plead

- guilty, \$100 fine plus cost, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Jessica Jarrell, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/ drugs, ect. .08 1st offense, no/expired registration plates, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st offense, jury trial on July 23.
- Michael A. Thacker, pretrial conference, failure to wear seat belts, improper display of registration plates, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/second or >greater offense, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Jonathan F. Harrison, continued first appearance, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, plead not guilty, pretrial conference on August 13.
- Jamie Denise Estes, pretrial conference, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/second or >greater offense, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Jonathon Dixon, bond forfeiture hearing, \$50 bond forfeited, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, speeding 17 MPH over limit, continued until July 9.
- Joseph A. Barrett, sentencing, continued until August 13.
- Malea D. Combs, preliminary hearing, unlawful transaction with a minor-2nd degree, endangering the welfare of a minor, continued until August 13.
- Aaron P. Riddell, preliminary hearing, making false statement to obtain increase of benefit over \$100, county attorney amends to theft by unlawful taking under \$500, plead guilty per conditional discharge. Restitution review on August 13 and show cause hearing on November 12.
- Jena L. Combs, other hearing, Monitored Controlled Release violation and grand jury remanded this charge as a misdemeanor, receiving stolen property under \$500, plead guilty, 180 days to serve.
- Elijah Stone, preliminary hearing, theft by unlawful taking/ disposition- all others, waives to grand jury.
- Billie R. Wilson, preliminary hearing, burglary 2nd degree, continued until July 9.
- William Cromer, preliminary hearing, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, menacing, possession of marijuana, promoting contraband 1st degree, waives to grand jury.
- Kyle E. Combs, bond hearing, license to be in possession, drug paraphernalia-buy/ possession, trafficking in marijuana, less than five pounds, trafficking 1st degree, 1st offense controlled substance 1st degree(less 2 grams heroin), trafficking in controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense(under 10 D.U. drug unspecified), tampering with physical evidence, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, continued until June 11.
- Donnie R. Green Jr., preliminary hearing, 1st degree possession of controlled substance/ drug unspecified, 1st offense, promoting contraband- first degree, drug paraphernalia-buy/possession, waives to grand jury.
- Donnie Ray Green. Preliminary hearing, leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid or assistance, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, fleeing or evading police, 1st degree(on foot), county attorney amends to fleeing/evading second degree, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Meca Harvey, preliminary hearing, two counts of assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, two counts of assault 3rd degree- police/probation officer, resisting arrest, alcohol intoxication, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Paul Burchfield, motion hour, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, complied with motions filed.
- Anthony W. Kirby, Pretrial conference, trafficking in marijuana, less than 8 ounces-1st offense, drug paraphernalia- buy/possession, illegal possession of legend drug, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- David Haney, pretrial conference, local city ordinance, continued until June 11.
- Melinda Powell, pretrial conference, driving without license/negligence in accident, continued until June 11.
- Tamara Renee Buckler, motion hour, assault 4th degree domestic violence no visible injury, alcohol intoxication in a public place 1st and 2nd offense, endangering the welfare of a minor, possession of controlled substance, 3rd degree, 1st offense, drug paraphernalia- buy/ possession, controlled substance prescription not in original container 1st offense, complied with previous motion filed.
- Margaret W. Richardson, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance(excludes alcohol), disrupting meetings and processions, bond modified to \$600 property, court ordered to comply with comp. Care, continued until May 21.
- Darrell D. Estes, pretrial conference, harassing communications, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing November12.
- Ernest C. Brinegar Jr., pretrial conference, local city ordinance, continued until June 11.
- Miranda J. Kelly, other hearing, drug paraphernalia- buy/possession, plead not guilty, jury trial on July 23.
- Charity Harkins, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance(excludes alcohol), defendant had a seizure, continued on June 11.

- James A. Coffey Jr., pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking or disposition shoplifting under \$500, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Abid Lancaster, pretrial conference, terroristic treating, 3rd degree, contempt of court, continued until July 14.
- Melissa Kaye Drake, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance(excludes alcohol), court ordered Westcare referral, continued until May 21.
- Michael J. Durbin, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs w/.08, aggravator, 1st offense, two counts of possession a controlled substance, endangering the welfare of a minor, two counts of controlled substance prescription not in original container 1st offense, drug paraphernalia, reckless driving, plead guilty per conditional discharge, \$200 fines plus court costs and service fee, operators license suspended for 90 days, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Margaret W. Richardson, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance(excludes alcohol), continued until May 21.
- Timera A. Neal, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance (excludes alcohol), possession of marijuana, use/ possession of drug paraphernalia, 1st offense, continued until June 11.
- Charlene Goodson Agee, pretrial conference, harboring a vicious animal, pretrial diversion, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Ricky West, pretrial conference, local city ordinance, plead guilty \$100 fine plus court costs and service fees, show cause hearing on November 12.
- James Bradley Tipton, pretrial conference, use/possession drug paraphernalia, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Dixie Robinson, pretrial conference, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, jury trial on June 23.
- Ronald Barnett, pretrial conference, cultivation of marijuana, less than<5 plants, 1st offense, continued until June 11.
- Richard Witt, pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking/disposition-all others, plead guilty to serve 45 days staring May 21, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Logan Shane Reed, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance (excludes alcohol), jury trial on June 25.
- Jason G. Creech, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, ect. .08 1st offense, reckless driving, possession of marijuana, defendant to have attorney hired, continued on June 11.
- Johnathan E. Dixon, pretrial conference, forgery-3rd degree, continued until July (.)
- Steven Dougherty, pretrial conference, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Robert Anthony Tipton, pretrial conference, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, county attorney recommends counseling, show cause and counseling review on November 12.
- Jessica A. Rogers, bond hearing, giving officer false name or address, plead guilty per conditional discharge, bond to apply, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Frank Helton, pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking or disposition all others under \$500, continued until June 11.
- Adam T. Neal, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance (excludes alcohol), court ordered to be assessed by Westcare, continued until May 21.
- Brian Crim, pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking or disposition shoplifting under \$500, plead guilty 180 to serve.
- Devin Coffey, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol under 21 years of age, three counts of wanton endangerment-2nd degree, plead guilty per conditional discharge, license suspended for 30 days, court ordered Westcare treatment, Westcare review on May 21, show cause on November 12.
- Jonathan F. Harrison, pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking or disposition all others, plead guilty to serve 60 days.
- William P. Tipton, pretrial conference, disorderly conduct, 2nd degree, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Eric Michael Springborn, pretrial conference, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, alcohol intoxication in a public place 1st and 2nd offense, theft by unlawful taking/ disposition- from automobile. Plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Brenda Estes Riddell, pretrial conference, public intoxication controlled substance (excludes alcohol), continued until June 11.
- Johnathan Dixon, pretrial conference, fleeing or evading police, 2nd degree (on foot), alcohol intoxication in a public place- 1st and 2nd offense, continued until July 9.
- Russell F Riddell, pretrial conference, fleeing or evading police, 2nd degree (on foot), menacing, resisting arrest, plead guilty 180 days to serve, show cause hearing, May 13, 2015.
- Russell F Riddell, pretrial conference, theft by unlawful taking or disposition shoplifting, plead guilty to serve 180 days, show cause hearing on May 13, 2015, stipulation to probation violation, 180 days to serve concurrent.
- Nicholas Denny, pretrial conference, assault

- 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, failure to appear, warrant of arrest.
- Brian Keith Samples, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, ect, .08 1sy offense, driving DUI suspended license- 1st offense aggravator, possession of marijuana, no/ expired registration plates, no insurance- 1st offense., county attorney amends to DUI 3rd offense, plead guilty.
- Tonya M. Campbell, review, theft by unlawful taking/ disposition shoplifting, court ordered to Westcare bond modified to \$650 un secured under same conditions and Westcare compliance.
- Brooklyn Campbell, change of plea disregarding stop sign, allowed to with draw previous plea, plead guilty, \$25 fine plus court cost and service fees, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Scott Camden, pretrial conference, unauthorized use of motor vehicle- 1st offense, plead guilty 60 days credit 60 days served to run concurrent with state time, show cause hearing November 12.
- Armster Steven McIntosh, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/ influence of alcohol/drugs. ect. .08 1st offense, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, continued until July, 9.
- Chris Cockrell, pretrial conference, failure to wear seat belts, no operators/moped license, failure to appear, warrant of arrest..
- Jonathon D. Smith Faucett, continued first appearance, no/expired registration plate, no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, improper display of registration plates, failure to wear seat belts, plead guilty \$25 fine plus court cost and service fees, show cause hearing on October 8.
- Billy J. Estes Jr., pretrial conference, part 391 of Federal safety regulations- qualification of drivers, proof, commercial driver license operating vehicle while suspended, proof, failure to produce insurance wear seat bealts, license to be in possession, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, failure to appear, warrant of arrest.
- Christian Howard Hobbs, pretrial conference, failure to wear seat belts, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked license, continued until August, 13.
- Jeff Logsdon, continued first appearance, failure to wear seat belts, license to be in possession, failure to appear, warrant of arrest.
- Brian K. Crim, continued first appearance, failure to wear seat belts, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, plead guilty 30 days.
- Justin S. Roberts, pretrial conference, failure to wear seat belts, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, operating motor vehicle under/influence alcohol/drugs, ect. .08 1st offense, continued until June 11.
- Natasha Ann Rogers, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, est. .08 2nd offense, plead guilty \$350 fine, 7 days credit for timed served plus court cost and service fees, operators license suspended for 12 months, show cause hearing on November 12.
- Ray Alexander, pretrial conference, no operators/moped license, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance 1st offense, no/expired registration plates, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, continued until August 13.
- Alan Kent Skinner, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, ect. .08 1st offense, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, operating ATV on roadway, two counts of operating ATV without headgear 16 or >under public property, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st offense, possession open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, plead guilty \$200 fines plus court cost and service fees, operators license suspended for 90 days, show cause hearing on Nov. 12.
- Kelvin D. Newman, pretrial conference, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, ect. .08 1st offense, no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure to produce insurance card, plead guilty \$200 fine plus court cost and service fees, operators license suspended for 30 days, show cause hearing on Nov. 12.
- James M. Neal, continued first appearance, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance 1st offense, plead guilty per conditional discharge, show cause hearing November 12.
- Cody Berryman, continued first appearance, failure to wear seat belts, no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure to produce insurance card, license to be in possession, failure to appear, warrant of arrest.
- Devin T. Coffey, pretrial conference, leaving scene of accident/ failure to render aid or assistance, instructional permit violations, continued until May 21.
- Joshua Turpin, hardship license hearing, continued until May 19.
- William Eason, pretrial conference, rear license not illuminated, operating motor vehicle under/influence of alcohol/drugs, est. .08 1st offense, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, failure to wear seat belts, no/expired registration plates, no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, continued until July 9.

School and Sports



Photos submitted

The Engineer baseball senior team members are finishing their high school careers on a hot streak. They beat Perry Central soundly, 12-1, in five innings on Monday night and played against Knott County Central on Tuesday. (See next week's paper for details.) Pictured, from left to right are Trent Sparks, J Tuttle, W French, A Brinegar, C Portwood, T Adams and C Nolan

At right are Estill County High School softball players who were recently named to the all-tourney team.

Receiving handshakes and trophies, below right, is Cheyenne Rawlins. Below left, is Michaela Gross with Assistant Principal Arthur Ballard. Michaela and Cheyenne are seniors on the softball team.



Photos submitted

Generous Granny: Grandparent of the Year Essay Winner

by Emelia Harris

I have the Kentucky AARP Grandparent of the Year. Her name is Bonnie Lou Reed. She is smart, gentle, and generous. She is my mommy's mom.

She is gentle, so she is a good nurse. Granny went to EKU or Eastern Kentucky University. Isn't that amazing? My granny is the best nurse at Marcum and Wallace. They make her work extra because of this. Also, because she is a nurse, she knows math really well, so she helps me with my homework.

Granny is so smart, so she helps me with my Accelerated Math. She helps me with my reading homework too. Granny is very good at math. When I was younger, Granny helped me learn to read by pronouncing the word correctly.

Granny is generous because she lets me keep my pets at her house. I have two cats and one dog. She cares for them when I'm not there. When she was remodeling her house, we built a dog house with the leftover

wood. Also she feeds my animals, because I can't take them home.

Therefore, my granny has a farm, because she loves animals. Granny has 36 acres of land, and she has a barn with a pond behind it. We go to the barn a lot.

We travel through the woods whenever we can. It takes at least one or two hours all together. But that is time going up a steep hill with two cats and a dog or maybe even two. She helps me climb over a fence or a log or two.

Granny loves to cook sweets and candy. Me and her cook brownies, cakes, and cookies together. She bakes candy for Christmas with me and my family. The house gets very warm from all the cooking. Sometimes I take a break with granny.

In conclusion, my granny is a smart, gentle, generous person that saves lives every day. So she pushes me to work hard and get a good job. So I look up to her. But I love her because she is mine. Thank you for reading.



One student from each of the 5th grade classes at West Irvine was chosen a class winner for their essay, "Why my grandparent should be the AARP grandparent of the Year."

From that group, one student was chosen as the school winner and since there is only one school, that student is automatically the county winner. This year's county winner is Emelia Harris. She was present a certificate from AARP. Emelia and all other essay winners were presented a certificate and a monetary award from the Estill County Retired Teachers Association.

The president of the Retired Teacher's organization, Robert Smith, is pictured here with county winner Emelia Harris. Classroom winners with Mr. Smith; from left, are Madison McKinney, home room, Melissa Gross; Deannia Estes, home room, Deana Napier; Danielle Begley, home room, Jarrod Ward; Anthony Lewis, home room, Shane Carpenter; Deadra Johnson, homeroom, Jenny Osborne; Emilia Harris, homeroom, Elizabeth Jackson.

LIFESTYLES

Estill County speaks... ... from Station Camp



By Mildred Arvin
CV&T Guest Columnist

I was thinking recently about how precious water really is. We can't survive long without it, and no other drink quenches thirst as much. The water sources when I was young were the springs or wells (some were hand-dug.) It was a lot of hard work to dig a well, because they had to be deep to find water and someone had to dump the dirt out, and then they had to be lined with rocks all the way up. We have a dug well by the end of our back porch, which we don't use now, but we did before city water came up our way. Some wells were dug by a drilling rig with a casing all the way down and a cylinder

to draw the water out, with a trip handle to release it. In grade school at Lynch town, the teacher would send two kids to someone's house to get water from their well or spring. One time, she sent me and a friend to a neighbor's house to get a bucket of water and there's was a well with a casing. We pulled the metal cylinder up to the top (which wasn't easy because it was heavy) and somehow the handle got tripped and all of the water went "whoosh" back down in the well, and it got the water rusty. We had to wait until it cleared and someone helped us the next time. We had to tote the pail of water down a hill and up a longer one-- a path thru the woods to the schoolhouse. By the time we got there, of course, some of the water had sloshed out. The dipper was always in the bucket, so the water carriers could drink. My old home place had a spring, hand dug with rocks along three sides, and also a milk spring was beside it for keeping milk cold. I had the chore of carrying water from the spring up a hill to the house. My brother's job was to carry stove wood in. One time, my friend was visiting and she went with me to the spring and was looking up at the rocks above it (in a squatting position), and saw a big

old bull-frog sitting there. She picked up a small rock and threw it at it and the frog leaped way toward her. She jumped back and sat down in the milk-pond. She was mad and said some words I can't repeat here. I was laughing so hard I couldn't get the water for awhile. The water in our spring was called sandstone, and it tasted different than limestone water. Another friend lived way out the log road thru the woods, and I used to go to her house a lot to visit. Their spring was also over a hill, and the path was steeper than ours. The sling was right below a limestone cliff and that was the best water and always cold. We folks caught a lot of our water for washing clothes in rain barrels or tubs or any large container set under the down spouts from the roof. My aunt kept her milk in gallon jugs by the back porch in a large wooden rain barrel and would reach way down to get a jug of cold sweet milk or buttermilk to drink with her sweet bread she made, which was just a yellow cake she made without a recipe. I thought it was delicious to eat it warm. She baked it in an iron skillet and the edges and bottom were crispy and brown. I remember how good it tasted to this day. There is a saying, "You don't miss

the water 'til the well goes dry," and that's true, because one summer and fall it came a drought and all of the springs dried up (or became so low we couldn't drink the water.) There was a branch that ran down by the hill below our house, and it wound way down and around and eventually ended up into Station Camp Creek. There were deep potholes of water down the branch, so my daddy took his mule and sled and some large cans with lids and hauled water up for us to drink and cook with. The crops suffered from the drought, also. Everybody was glad to see the fall rains come that year. The other side of the story was when the heavy rains came, and the creeks and branches were flooded. We later lived right beside the creek (on a high bank, thank goodness), but all of that water rushing by in a big tide looked scary to this mountain girl. Our well would also flood with surface water and would be unsafe to use for a while, so we would drink the fresh water bubbling up from a wet-weather spring above the house, until we could treat the well water with salt and chlorine after it went back down. I had to watch the kids closely and we cautioned them to stay away from the creek, but later

they learned to swim and played in the creek a lot--a good way to cool off on a hot summer day after working in the fields. I have written a lot about water, but that brings me to the Bible verses from John 4 where Jesus came to Jacob's well in Samaria and sat down to rest on the well and asked a woman of Samaria who came to draw water for a drink. She was surprised because Jewish people and her people didn't communicate (verse 10), but Jesus answered her question as to why he would even talk to her by answering with these words, "If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that sayeth unto thee, "Give me to drink, thou wouldn't have asked of Him, and He would have given thee Living Water." She told Him that the well was deep, and He had nothing to draw water with, but He answered by saying, "Whosoever drinketh of this water shall thirst again: but whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst: but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life. So we can come to a fountain of God's love, if we are thirsty!

• Bookmobile • Carloftis to be at garden tour

Monday, June 2nd-Northwood Apartments-Winchester Road, Edgewater Drive, Crestview Court, Mountain Crest
Tuesday, June 3rd-Stacy Lane, Rice Station, West Irvine
Wednesday, June 4th- NO BOOKMOBILE SERVICE
Thursday, June 5th- NO BOOKMOBILE SERVICE
Friday, June 6th- NO BOOKMOBILE SERVICE

Monday, June 9th- Old Fox Road, Furnace Junction, Miller's Creek, Cow Creek
Tuesday, June 10th- Winston, Trotting Ridge, Sandhill
Wednesday, June 11th- Wisemantown, Station Camp, Red Lick, Crooked creek
Thursday, June 12th- Spout Springs, Hudson Mill Road, New Fox Road, Hargett-Parvin Road
Friday, June 13th- NO BOOKMOBILE SERVICE



Tillie Memorial Fund Reaches Goal



By Deanna Walters
Special to the CV&T

The memorial fund for Tillie, the Border Collie mix from Berea, KY who faithfully led visitors of Indian Fort up to one of its many scenic overlooks, has reached its financial goal of \$2,500. This amount was given to Berea College, the owners of Indian Fort, in exchange for a commemorative tree and 4" x 6" brass plaque, honoring Tillie's 10 years of service. The \$2,500 gift to the college includes the lifelong costs of any upkeep that may be required in the future. There were 2 funds set up to receive donations for Tillie's memorial. The Berea College fund received \$520 with the help of Mary Minton from Paintsville. The Fifth Third Bank memorial fund

in Lexington was closed after collecting the remaining \$1980 needed. A certified check in the same amount was then written to Berea College and given to them on April 30, 2014. Donations for Tillie poured in from every corner of the state and also came from places as far away as Rochester, New York. Several donations were accompanied by short, yet heartfelt, notes. The commemorative plaque and tree will be located at the base of the mountain, on the left side of the trailhead. It was a common sight to see Tillie sitting there, waiting to lead yet another group of hikers back up the mountain. Both the plaque and the tree are scheduled to be in place by late fall of this year. A big thank you to all who contributed, thereby ensuring that Tillie's legacy lives on for generations to come.

The Berea Arts Council presents a tour of seven unique gardens on Saturday, June 7, 9am to 4pm. Plans include a plant sale Friday evening and all day Saturday on the lawn in front of the Welcome Center on North Broadway. This year's tour, sponsored by Montgomery Farm & Garden and The Potting Shed, features gardens at five homes and two public spaces. A certified Master Gardener will be at each location to answer questions. In 2012, Jon Carloftis unveiled his plan for a native-plant garden at the old L&N Depot, home of the Berea Welcome Center. This year the award-winning designer will be there from 9am to noon to discuss gardening with visitors. The Kentucky native has designed gardens in urban and rural settings and is the author of three books. He has been featured on television, including Style TV and HGTV and in magazines such as Garden Design and House Beautiful. Carloftis describes the Depot garden this way: "Essentially, this is a perfect example of a small space garden, complete with full sun, shade, wet areas, views

to hide, views to showcase... some of the same issues that many people have in their own backyards. Picking the right plant for the spot, adding an easy water feature and creating a path that makes one feel like they've been on a journey (despite the small space), this is a successful garden that will entertain all the visitors that come to the beautiful Berea Train Depot." Other gardens on the tour include the memorial garden at Union Church and the yards of Tom Miller, Adriel Woodman, Mary Startzman, David Saladino, and Katie Heckman. Although this winter's weather caused damage, the resilient gardeners have coped with broken limbs, downed trees, and frozen buds to prepare their gardens for visitors. Advance tickets are \$10 at the Potting Shed on Richmond Road (Rt. 25 North) and at Gastineau Studio on North Broadway in Berea. Tickets may be purchased for \$12 at any of the gardens during the event. For more information, visit www.BereaArtsCouncil.org or call the Berea Arts Council at 859-985-9317.



Jon Carloftis, Garden designer

EKU RN-BSN program now 100 percent online

RICHMOND, Ky. -- As more and more employers require registered nurses to continue their education, Eastern Kentucky University is preparing to meet the needs of working nurses by offering its widely known, fully accredited RN-BSN program 100 percent online in Fall 2014. EKU has offered quality nursing programs on its main campus for generations and has served as a catalyst for positive change through distance education by providing classes across central and eastern Kentucky. As a pioneer in the use of interactive television as a medium to expand educational opportunities, Eastern's Department of Baccalaureate and Graduate Nursing played a significant role in enhancing the quality of health care in rural Kentucky.

In Spring 2013, the University began offering numerous online degrees in nursing, including the Doctor of Nursing Practice degree as well as MSN and post MSN certificate options in Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, Nursing Administration and Family Nurse Practitioner, and Public Health. More than 250 students are now enrolled in those programs. Program Coordinator Dr. Beverly Hart attributes the success in large part to the faculty's hands-on approach to online learning and their commitment to students' engagement and achievement. "The faculty set high expectations, serve as role models, and provide needed support throughout the program," said EKU Nursing student Bridget Roberts. Hart said that the Online RN-BSN program will offer the progressive, stimulating

curricular opportunities students expect from EKU Nursing programs in a format that is convenient to adult learners. Students can choose from a full-time option that allows them to graduate in as little as one year or a part-time option that will take just under two years to complete. They will receive credit for prior learning and have the convenience of completing their clinical projects in their own community. A one-day optional orientation session will take place on the Richmond campus Aug. 15. Students will have the opportunity to meet their instructors and advisers, get to know each other and participate in a workshop to build their computer skills in preparation for Fall courses. EKU Nursing programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. They also incorporate the standards of

the American Association of Colleges of Nursing, including evidence-based practice and professional nursing communication and collaboration. Applications are due July 15. Classes begin Aug. 19. For more information, visit go.eku.edu/EKU-RN-BSN or call 859-622-8560. Consistently recognized as having some of the nation's best online degree programs, Eastern Kentucky University strives to make quality education accessible to everyone. EKU is an accredited, brick-and-mortar institution celebrating more than 100 years of student success. EKU Online offers more than 25 undergraduate and graduate degree options in a variety of fields, representing Arts & Sciences, Education, Justice & Safety and Health Sciences.